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Beautiful Women

Of St. Louis and Missouri will be presented in a series of striking poses in several groups of superb half-tones in the next

Sunday Post-Dispatch.

Dewey Outdone.

Never was Dewey more active in sinking Spanish ships than were his admirers in collecting interesting facts about him, which will be published in the next

Sunday Post-Dispatch.

DEWEY AND ME.

DEWEY AND ME.

If I were with Dewey,
And Dewey with me,
We'd make the best team
In the business, See?

He could take all the praises,
For lickin' of Spain,
And I would attend to
The crabs and champagn.

While the hero worshipers
Ranted without,
He'd save his stomach
And I'd get the gout!

DEWEY KNOTT.

What are you going to do when Dewey comes home? There'll be lots of other folks celebrating that day.

You can't stop the American people when it comes to recognizing heroism.

Dewey will be the burden of the song of the spheres from now on until he is safely landed in New York. You want to know all about Dewey. You want to get as close to him as you can without going to New York.

The next Sunday Post-Dispatch will give you a wonderful insight into the life and character of the man who shot holes in the Spanish fleet while his breakfast dishes were being washed. It will tell you all about his boyhood days, his early manhood, his later achievements, and last, but not least, it will give you the details of the magnificent preparations made to receive him.

That will all be in cold type. But it won't tire your eyes, for running through it all will be the very best Dewey pictures ever made or ever makable.

A little further on you'll find nearly a page of half-tones of the most beautiful and wealthy women of St. Louis. They are from the best plates ever made by a St. Louis photographer on whom fortune and fashion have smiled.

Besides these recognized beauties of St. Louis there will be a large half-tone group of a bevy of Missouri girls as fascinating as any who ever won the heart of a Prince Charming or turned this old earth into a fairy bower.

But they are not presented simply because they are good to look at. They have a mission, as well as a reputation, and they will perform it next week.

In Missouri there is a wonderful house. It is occupied by a woman. There is no other house like it in the world. Why was it built as it is? Why does it attract universal attention? Because the owner is unlike any other woman in the world.

Would you know her? See the next Sunday Post-Dispatch.

Did you ever think of taking "a dose of music" when you were sick?

Don't laugh, please.

There are musicians and there are doctors who will tell you that music is the only thing that can cure some people of their diseases.

More than that, there are physicians who have prescribed a course of music the same as they would a course of medicine.

In St. Louis to-day there are people who have administered music as medicine, and there are people who have been cured by it.

Does this not sound strange?

One of these healers, who is also world-famous as a musician, has written an absorbing article on his subject for the next Sunday Post-Dispatch.

You may be something of a walker, but you'll have to yield the palm to a Missouri boy who did a stunt on a country road that has never been equaled by one of his age. See his picture and the story of his achievement in the next Sunday Post-Dispatch.

Here is another extraordinary matter that will interest you. The next Sunday Post-Dispatch will contain a description of a unique and picturesque contest soon to take place in St. Louis.

Nothing like it has ever been seen in the State of Missouri.

You will find in it also all about a religious celebration which is to be held in St. Louis, totally unlike anything usually attempted by church people. It will interest thousands. Whether rich or poor, you will want to know about it.

There is also in store for you a thrilling narrative told by a St. Louis detective—a narrative which discounts the days and doings of Wild Bill and others of his class and has the merit of truth—a quality not often claimed by writers of detective lore.

There is a man in St. Louis who participated in one of the bloodiest battles ever fought in America.

He was as daring in his day as was ever Teddy Roosevelt at San Juan Hill. That was years and years ago, but his friends have not forgotten his heroism and he has something substantial to show for their appreciation.

The Colonel—for he is a Colonel—has related the story for readers of the next Sunday Post-Dispatch.

A St. Louis sculptor has been signally honored and will have a prominent part in the preparations for the reception of Dewey in New York. Read about him in the next Sunday Post-Dispatch.

Did you ever go star-gazing on a summer night with a pretty girl? You see a falling star. You exclaim:

"That's my star!"

She says: "No, that's my star!"

"No," you protest, "that's my star!"

You don't mean it, because you don't own the earth, much less a star; but she pouts and you have to comfort her.

That's what you did it for, you sly dog.

Then you never paused to think that stars are fickle—even as women and men—but you will learn a few things by reading the absorbing article on a certain astronomical topic which a St. Louis astronomer has written for the next Sunday Post-Dispatch.

St. Louis is the possessor of a rare vine. There is none other like it in Missouri. See it pictured in the next Sunday Post-Dispatch.

Is there anything beautiful you wish to see? Anything delightful you desire to read? See the coming Sunday Post-Dispatch. No nameless, dateless stories. No heroes without habitations. No stories with strings to them. Get the best.

AND SO THEY WILL MARRY.

Two Elopements Frustrated and the Sequel.

IT WAS A VICTORY FOR CUPID.

ROMANCE OF MISS O'KEEFE AND MR. FRANK TOBIN.

She Is Sixteen and an Heiress—There Will Be a Conventional Wedding at Rock Church Saturday Morning.

Mr. Frank R. Tobin of 1435 Missouri avenue and Miss Anna Marie O'Keefe of Vicksburg, Miss., will be married conventionally Saturday morning, after two attempts to elope.

The bride is 16 years old, and heiress to $200,000. She is an orphan. Mr. Tobin is the secretary and treasurer of a paint company in this city.

Their road to matrimony has been far from smooth. But they were determined, and an opposing grandmother of the young lady was finally compelled to give reluctant consent, on condition that they marry in the good old-fashioned way, with the accompaniment of orange blossoms, a wedding march, a church and the presence of their friends. Hence the wedding at Rock Church at 8 o'clock Saturday morning.

Mr. Tobin met Miss O'Keefe while she was a guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Rekenger, of 3227 Lucas avenue. The young lady came North to enter Monticello Seminary, at Godfrey, Ill., and for a time visited her relative here. She is a beautiful girl, just budding into womanhood, and Mr. Tobin was not long in falling in love with her. They became engaged. The grandmother watched the progress of events and gave Miss O'Keefe to understand that she was opposed to her marriage because of her youth.

The couple then fell to planning for an elopement. A friend of Mr. Tobin's, Mr. J. D. Dalton, whose home is at Hannibal, Mo., suggested a plan, which was adopted. It was that they go with him to Hannibal and be married there.

Last Tuesday was the day set for the first attempt. But an uncle of the groom-to-be learned of the plan and decided it was his duty to inform the bride's grandmother, because of the girl's age. He did so, and the grandmother took the young lady in hand. She succeeded in frustrating that plan, but she did not win her granddaughter to complete obedience.

As soon as Miss O'Keefe could communicate with Mr. Tobin another elopement plan was laid. But the grandmother was suspicious, and this also was spoiled by her interference. The couple in their desperation then informed her that she might postpone the wedding, but they would get ahead of her in the end. In a word, they declared war.

Seeing that the young people were so determined, and that she could not hope to circumvent all their plans, the grandmother yielded, on condition that the wedding take place in the conventional way. The couple gladly consented to this, and the wedding was arranged. Mr. Dalton, their fellow conspirator in the plans for elopement, will be best man.

After the ceremony the couple and a few of their friends will breakfast at the Planters'. They will go to Chicago, where they will have luncheon, and they will wind up the day by dining at Kalamazoo, Mich. From there they will go East. Upon their return to St. Louis they will reside on Forest Park boulevard.

G. A. R. Will Not Parade.

NEW YORK, Sept. 22.—Gen. Roe said to-day that he had not heard from Gov. Roosevelt regarding the G. A. R., and that as far as he knew the G. A. R. would not participate in the Dewey land parade.

QUEEN OF THE VEILED PROPHET'S BALL.

MISS MAUDE NIEDRINGHAUS.

Of Whom, It Is Said, She Will Reign Supreme the Night of October 3.

The Post-Dispatch to-day presents the picture of the young lady who has probably been selected Queen of the Veiled Prophet's Ball. All straws point that way and there is little doubt she was selected at the meeting of the Executive Committee, held for the purpose of balloting for the beauty who would reign supreme in St. Louis the night of Oct. 3.

Miss Maud Neidringhaus, the beauty who is referred to above, is at present in New York. She went East the day after the meeting of the Executive Committee, and it is believed her mission is to select the gown which she will wear the night when the Prophet leads her forth as queen of the ball.

One will remember that a recent publication stated the picture of the young lady selected as queen might be seen in a certain West End studio, in a certain corner. And in that spot is the portrait of Miss Neidringhaus. At least it was there when the story was printed and for a short time thereafter; and then it was removed.

But there are other indications—and sometimes there are matters that cannot be told all in one day.

The young lady is the daughter of Mr. W. F. Niedringhaus of the St. Louis Stamping Co. The family, some time ago, gave up their mansion and are living at the Grand Avenue Hotel.

A more fitting selection it would be almost impossible to make. From the tip of her daintily-shod foot to the top of her regally-poised head Miss Niedringhaus is faultless. Tall, with a beautiful figure, an erect and queenly carriage, she makes an appearance that is striking in the extreme. She has a face of much sweetness and eyes of wonderful depth and color. She has passed a scant 20 years, and has been enjoying society for two seasons. Last year she served as a maid of honor at the ball.

If one will glance at the list of maids of honor, published in the Post-Dispatch Thursday, it will be noticed that the name of Miss Niedringhaus is not there. Why? Because she has been voted the queen.

MISS ANNA MARIE O'KEEFE.

DID HE REACH THE POLE?

Discovery of a Buoy Marked by Andrew Leads to This Conclusion.

STOCKHOLM, Sept. 22.—Dr. Ekholm, Prof. Nathorst and Capt. Andre believe that the buoy marked "Andre Polar Expedition," found on Sept. 9 on the north coast of King Charles Island by the master of the Norwegian cutter Martha Larsask, is one of those which the aeronaut intended to throw after the North Pole was passed.

DIAZ MAY STOP HERE

LATIN-AMERICAN CLUB HAS EXTENDED THE INVITATION.

MR. M'KINLEY MAY MEET HIM.

Probability Is That the President Will Go to the Mexican Border and Will Stay With the Visitor.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 22.—In connection with President Diaz's visit to Chicago, it is expected that President McKinley will meet the Mexican President and invite him to come to Washington as his guest and the guest of the nation. Tentative plans along these lines have been considered, and more definite arrangements will be made when the official announcement is received as to President Diaz's intention.

Diaz's route northward is expected to be through San Antonio and St. Louis. At the latter point he may make a stop as the Latin-American Club of that city have telegraphed to the Mexican Embassy here an urgent request that the President honor St. Louis with a visit.

In recognition of the presence of a foreign ruler within the country, it is probable that a representative of President McKinley will meet the Mexican President at the United States border and accompany him throughout his stay in this country.

An army officer of high rank is likely to be selected for this service. No less than 14 invitations from that many cities have been extended to President Diaz to be their guest during his stay in the United States. But the understanding among officials is that he will not be able to accept many of these.

SHOULD HAVE A GOOD TIME.

President Diaz Given $100,000 to Spend on His Vacation.

CITY OF MEXICO, Sept. 22.—President Diaz, besides having been granted 20 days' leave of absence in order that he may attend Chicago's festival, has been awarded $100,000 out of the National Treasury to meet expenses incidental to the journey.

DEMAND ALL THE PAUPER DEAD

Kansas City Medical College Will Test the Law That Provides Them for Dissection.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Sept. 22.—The State law provides that the bodies of paupers shall be turned over to medical colleges upon demand. Recently the City Council passed an ordinance providing for burial of the pauper dead, and yesterday the Board of Distribution of Human Bodies, formed by the medical colleges of the city under the State law, asked the Circuit Court for a writ of mandamus compelling the city authorities to provide the dissecting table with all bodies of the pauper dead.

DICK SPEED REAPPOINTED.

He Will Be Coal Oil Inspector for St. Louis Another Two Years.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Sept. 22.—Gov. Stephens returned this morning from attending the anti-trust banquet in St. Louis and appointed Richad B. Speed to the office of Inspector of Oils for the city of St. Louis for another term of two years, ending June 18, 1901.

Under the new law enacted at the last Legislature this is now a salaried office, paying $3000 a year, out of which the expenses of of the office are to be paid, leaving a salary of about $2000. It is not considered quite as profitable an office now as under the old law, which gave the inspector a fee.

FOUND DEAD BY A FERRY.

Girl's Hesitancy to Wed May Have Been the Cause.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CINCINNATI, O., Sept. 22.—Mr. Frank Wichgar, a prominent young man of this city, committed suicide some time last night by taking carbolic acid on the lower river road near Anderson's ferry. His dead body was found this morning in his pocket was found a dainty note signed Annie, in which postponement of marriage was asked.

ESCAPES TO SPAIN.

Max Regis Avoids Arrest by Leaving France.

ALGIERS, Sept. 22.—Max Regis, the former Mayor of Algiers, and a notorious Jew-baiter, during the night left the villa just outside of the town in which he and a party of adherents had been barricaded for some days, fearing arrest by the Government. He is said to have gone on board a boat bound for Spain. Eight of his companions were arrested.

RESCUED FROM A FIERCE FIRE.

Mother and Children Carried Down a Ladder.

LOCKED IN A BURNING ROOM.

PRESENCE OF MIND SAVES TWO LIVES IN THE COUNTY.

But Had It Not Been for a Baby's Cry None Would Have Been Aroused to Give the First Alarm

But for the heroism of S. J. Wetherell and his 16-year-old stepson, Louis Bruner, Mrs. Corliss Copeland and her two small children would have perished in the fire that destroyed their home at 6407 Bartmer avenue, St. Louis County, early Friday morning.

Mr. Wetherell's home was burned and also the vacant house next door, No. 6409, owned by Mrs. C. J. Key.

Corliss Copeland is a clerk in the Postoffice. With his family he occupied the second floor of No. 6407. On the first floor were the apartments of the Wetherells. The two buildings destroyed were situated on the crest of the hill that rises to the west of the Wabash tracks.

Mr. Wetherell says it was 1 o'clock Friday morning that he was awakened by screams from the rooms above. He roused his wife and son and ran to the yard and called to Mrs. Copeland.

That woman's husband is employed downtown until midnight, and Mr. Wetherell thought that she had been attacked. When she raised the side window to answer him black smoke rolled out and Wetherell could see the light of fire back in the room.

He shouted to her to come down the back stairway and ran into his own rooms to warn his family. The fire had already eaten through the kitchen ceiling, and Mrs. Wetherell and young Bruner were gathering up a few things preparatory to flight. The woman, half clad, was hurried to a neighbor's by her son, while Wetherell remained to assist Mrs. Copeland.

To his horror she did not appear. The man ran to the back-stair door and found it locked. Mrs. Copeland was on the inside, vainly trying to open it. She had locked it before retiring, and in her excitement could not find the key.

Wetherell called to her to go to a front window, and he would attempt to rescue her and the children. They are both small, one 3 and the other 1½ years old.

Young Bruner had returned from assisting his mother by the time Wetherell reached the front yard, and already had a ladder raised to a window. The neighbors had been aroused by the cries of fire, and flocked to the burning houses, for the flames had broken through the roof and the roof of the building next door was on fire. An alarm was sent to the Arcade Fire Company, in Cabanne.

Michael O'Reilly, a neighbor, Wetherell and Bruner went up the ladder into the Copeland home. The mother and children were in the front room. The smoke had stupefied the little ones, but the mother bravely kept her feet. The children were passed down first, and in taking one O'Reilly's right hand was severely burned. Mrs. Copeland, exhausted and on the verge of collapse, feebly assisted Wetherell in taking her down the ladder, but before the ground was reached she fainted.

Willing hands carried her and the children to shelter. Fire then was burning fiercely in every room of the two houses. The Wetherells and Copelands saved nothing. When the engine from Cabanne arrived all it had to do was to prevent further spread of the flames. This it did, and the fire was permitted to burn itself out.

The two families lost about $400 each, and the house occupied by them, owned by John Carter, was valued at $1000. It was insured. Mrs. Key's house is said to have been worth $900.

Mrs. Copeland was ill Friday from the effects of her experience. "I was awakened by the baby crying," she said, "and found the room filled with smoke. I tried to get out the back door, but it was locked, and, in the smoke and excitement, I could not find the key. I suppose it was fright more than anything else that caused me to swoon."

WHISKY SELLER'S SERIOUS DAY

Illinois Jury Holds That He Is Responsible for What Happens to Men His Liquor Makes Drunk.

CARBONDALE, Ill., Sept. 22.—A jury in the Circuit Court has given a verdict of damages of $1000 to Mrs. Collas against Fred Muntz, in whose saloon Collas was killed while intoxicated by liquor furnished by Muntz.

THE WEATHER INDICATIONS.

SHOWERS.

St. Louis and vicinity—Probably showers Friday night and Saturday.

Missouri—Partly cloudy, with showers north and west portions Friday night, and north portion Saturday; warmer south and extreme east portions Friday night.

Illinois—Partly cloudy Friday night and Saturday, with showers north and central portions; warm south and central portions Friday night.

Mississippi—Fair Friday night; warmer in east and central portions; Saturday, fair; fresh easterly winds.

Arkansas—Fair, warmer Friday night; Saturday, fair; southerly winds.

Tennessee—Fair, warmer Friday night; Saturday, fair; northerly to easterly winds.

Kentucky—Fair, warmer Friday night; Saturday, fair; southerly winds.

Indiana—Partly cloudy Friday night and Saturday, with showers in northwest portion; warmer in south and central portions Friday night; southerly winds.

Iowa—Showers Friday night and Saturday; easterly winds.

Kansas—Partly cloudy Friday night and Saturday, with showers in east portion Friday night; winds shifting to westerly.

Hourly Temperatures.

6 a. m.	56	11 a. m.	68
7 a. m.	58	Noon	71
8 a. m.	61	1 p. m.	72
9 a. m.	63	2 p. m.	73
10 a. m.	66		

Here and Elsewhere at 7 a. m.

St. Louis	58	Kansas City	64
New York	56	Little Rock	56
Chicago	60	New Orleans	66
Cincinnati	56	Pittsburg	56
Cleveland	58	St. Paul	46
Denver	46	Vicksburg	56
Galveston	74	Washington	58
Indianapolis	54		

FACTS FOR MAYOR ZIEGENHEIN.

Post-Dispatch Throws Light on Executive Clemency.

WHY LAW BREAKERS GO FREE.

POSITIVE PROOF CONCERNING THOSE FAMOUS "REMITS."

Fred Ziegenhein, the Mayor's Son and Secretary, Signed a Card and Issued an Order as Beffa Desired.

What has heretofore been a mystery about the use of Mayor Ziegenhein's clemency in saving lawbreakers from the punishment assessed against them in police court was cleared up by the Post-Dispatch Friday through an investigation of the case of two fruit dealers who were released in the First District Police Court Thursday on a "remit" after S. Beffa, a saloon keeper, prevented them from paying their fines as they desired to do, and declared that he would secure "remits" for them.

Tony Bomenco of 907 Franklin avenue, Ignatz Spigini of 922 Wash street and Aquan Salvator of 912 North Ninth street were fined $5 and costs each for using short-weight scales in their respective businesses.

After the decree of the court had been pronounced, the prisoners turned to the deputy marshal whose duty it is to collect moneys and prepared to pay their fines. The fine with costs amounted to $8 in each case. Spigini produced his money first and it was accepted by the deputy. One of the others stepped forward and tendered $8.

At this juncture Beffa rushed into the courtroom and cried to the prisoner to not pay the fine. He dashed up to the desk, which is immediately in front of the Judge, and shouted:

"You have no right to take money from these men!"

He grabbed the hand of the man who was about to make the payment, and told him to put the money in his pocket. The man did so.

"I tell you to keep your money," Beffa shouted excitedly. "I will get you a 'remit.' Put your money in your pocket."

Beffa's conduct interrupted the proceedings of the court. Spectators laughed and jeered. Order was completely disturbed.

Deputy Marshal Lyons grabbed the belligerent Beffa, and hustled him out of the courtroom. Beffa continued to call to his friends while he was being ejected, to not pay the fines, and he would secure remits.

Beffa gone, and quiet restored in court, Salvator and Bomenco declared that they would not pay the fines. They were accordingly returned to the cage to await transportation to the Workhouse.

But they were not sent to the Workhouse. Instead, they were released within half an hour after Beffa's dramatic performance.

Beffa returned at that time, and after a consultation with Chief Deputy Marshal Fred Smith, secured the release of his friends. Deputy Smith stated to the Post-Dispatch Friday that the release of Bomenco and Salvator was ordered by the "Mayor's office," on payment of costs.

Mayor Ziegenhein was asked about the matter Friday morning. His Honor was in the midst of a dissertation on his own speech at the anti-department store meeting of Thursday night at Lemp's Park. He was saying: "I welcomed them to the city, and I did it in grand style. I told them there were all kinds of beer there, and for them to have a good time."

"I don't know anything about this," he said, referring to the Beffa case. He was informed of the facts and Deputy Smith's statement that the men were released on an order from the Mayor's office was repeated to him.

"No, I didn't do it."

"Is this the Beffa that keeps the Garfield House, over here?" (The Mayor pointed to the sign of the Garfield, which can be seen from the windows of his office.)

"Oh, he wouldn't do that. I know him. He's a nice fellow; he wouldn't do anything like that. He don't come over here very much."

The Mayor was asked if his secretary issued the remits for Salvator and Bomenco.

His honor gave voice to some excellent philosophy about acquiring knowledge in youth and switched the conversation to the Belleville Street Fair, where he made a decided hit Thursday afternoon.

He was again asked whether his secretary had issued the remits. He went into the outer office to consult the secretary. En route the Mayor repeated the compliments on Beffa.

Fred Ziegenhein, son and secretary to the Mayor, was called to one side and they held a brief consultation. Following this the secretary declared he had not issued the "remits," and knew nothing about the case. He declared that the "remits" could not have been issued from the Mayor's office without his knowledge and consent. He said he signed all papers of that nature.

Mayor and secretary united in saying that the Mayor's office had had nothing to do with the Beffa case.

The Mayor was asked if he did not think it strange that anyone would use the Mayor's office to perpetrate a fraud for the purpose of having Police Court fines remitted. He was reminded that the City Marshal was in possession of an order from the Mayor's office for the release of Salvator and Bomenco.

The Mayor replied that he knew nothing about the case, and the subject was dismissed.

Chief Deputy Marshal Smith's records were next examined. Smith is responsible to the city for the fines assessed and for the prisoners while they are under the jurisdiction of the police courts. His books showed that Spigini paid his fine and the costs and was released. Bomenco and Salvator were released on payment of costs, amounting to $3 in each case.

As his authority for the release of the two men on payment of costs he produced a "remit from the Mayor's office. It was just like a dozen others in his possession, and, in fact, was genuine. It was made out on the regular blank and numbered 634.

It was an order remitting the fines of $5 each assessed against Tony Bomenco and Aquan Salvator on payment of costs. It was stamped with the stamp of the Mayor's office and signed "Fred W. Ziegenhein, Secretary."

The order, or remit, was dated September 22. The deputy was reminded that Bomenco and Salvator were released September 21, one day before the remit was issued. He produced a card, the business card of Beffa's saloon.

On the side containing no printed matter were the names of Spigini, Bomenco and Salvator. Spigini's name was crossed out.

The deputy said the names were in the writing of Beffa. On the printed side of the card was the stamp of the Mayor's office, dated September 21, and "O. K., pay costs. Fred."

"That is Fred Ziegenhein's signature," declared Smith. "I have seen it often enough to know."

"Fred crossed out the name of Spigini because he never remits a fine after it has been paid."

Smith explained that Beffa presented the order on his business card when he returned to the Police Court after being ejected Thursday and said the regular remit would be sent over Friday.

SNUB TO ROOSEVELT.

ORDER TO DEWEY PARADE COMMITTEE IGNORED.

HE STANDS BY THE G. A. R.

Instructs Gen. Roe to Give the Veterans the Place of Honor in the Line.

NEW YORK, Sept. 22.—Maj. Gen. Roe, who will command the National Guard of New York State in the Dewey land parade, received a telegram from Gov. Roosevelt to-day directing him to give the G. A. R. the choice of any place in the parade. Immediately on receiving the telegram Gen. Roe had a conference with Mayor Van Wyck and then Chairman Guggenheimer of the Plan and Scope Committee, which has charge of the parade, was notified of the Governor's dispatch. After pointing out that his committee alone had the right to assign places in the line of march, Mr. Guggenheimer said of the Governor's action:

"It is peculiarly Rooseveltian. It is a most impudent, unjustified and unwarranted interference in a matter that is without his province. I do not believe however that our committee will take any notice of it."

Gen. Roe declined to discuss the action of Gov. Roosevelt in advance of the action of the Plan and Scope Committee.

It is said that Gov. Roosevelt sent his telegram under a misapprehension. Gen. Roe is not acting in his capacity as Major-General commanding the state militia, but as chairman of the sub-committee on land parade of the Dewey celebration committee of this city.

Mayors Ashbridge of Philadelphia and Harrison of Chicago have accepted invitations to be present at the Dewey ceremonies. Gov. Thomas of Colorado and Patrick A. Collins of Boston sent regrets.

All the arrangements for the sailors' smoker at the Waldorf-Astoria are now completed. The guests will include 1000 men of the Olympia and other warships in the harbor. Admiral Dewey, Rear Admirals Sampson and Schley, the other commanding officers of the ships and the guests of the city, have been invited to occupy the boxes around the ballroom, where the smoker is to be held.

The committee on the distribution of tickets has announced that no more applications for tickets can be received. The applications already exceed the supply tenfold.

UTICA, N. Y., Sept. 22.—Gov. Roosevelt, who is now here, was shown a dispatch from Gen. Roe to the effect that he had not heard from the Governor regarding the G. A. R. in the Dewey parade in New York.

The Governor said: "There is some misapprehension and I am utterly unable to understand it. Both telegrams have been sent and I have directed that the veterans receive the right of line."

The Governor then dictated other telegrams concerning he matter and said it should be straightened out.

BELIEVES HER HUSBAND MAD

Mrs. Richard Hunt's Explanation of a Separation With Unusual Features.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Sept. 22.—Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hunt have separated. Richard Hunt is the son of the late Richard M. Hunt, a famous American architect, a man of genius and wealth. Mrs. Hunt is the sister of Mrs. Oliver Harrisman, Jr. She is well born, high bred and wealthy. She is living on her husband's handsome estate at Garden City.

"It is a most surprising thing to me," said Mrs. Hunt, "that this matter has been so long kept from the newspapers. I have received messages of sympathy from friends in all part of this country and Europe, showing how the story has spread. But I have nothing to conceal.

"Mr. Hunt and I were married 14 years ago. We have three children. He was a devoted husband and a good father until this madness seized him, for I firmly believe that he is insane. He made no concealment of the fact that he had ceased to love me. Further than that, he flatly told me that his love had been transferred to another.

"The woman who caused all the trouble made no effort to conceal her position in the matter. She and my husband love each other, and made no concealment of the fact. Her husband has left her just as I have left my husband. He has leased his house and purchased an estate far away, where he has gone with his only child. The woman is in New York with her father. The entire case is now in the hands of lawyers, and hence I am unable to say just what plans will be followed.

"My husband coolly demands that I divorce him, so that he may marry this woman. She, on the other hand, is preparing to take up a residence out West, where the laws will facilitate her release from her husband.

"Mrs. R. M. Hunt, my husband's mother, is a woman of great wealth, and will be a party to any financial arrangement which may be decided upon. She and the others of her family believe that the only way to save my husband's life is to help him in this matter.

"I shall throw no straw in the way, provided my children are properly provided for. As to Mr. Hunt, my partner of 14 years of married life, the father of my children, he has practically ceased to exist, so far as I am concerned."

RIVAL STREET RAILWAYS

Rumored Organization of Capitalists to Get Franchises and Fight the United Railways Trust.

The Street Railway Trust is about to have a rival.

This is in substance a rumor which gained quite a little credence in financial circles Friday. Those reported behind the enterprise are Christian Peper, the millionaire tobacco man, and his former associates among the stockholders of the Broadway cable.

As reported, it is their intention to organize and in addition to the franchises which they at present control, apply for others, thinking that the move will be a popular one with the people. Nothing definite in connection with the project could be learned, but not a few of the gentlemen approached while denying any participation were quite ready to believe the truth of the rumor and stated that it was not news to them.

STRIKE AT CRAMP'S.

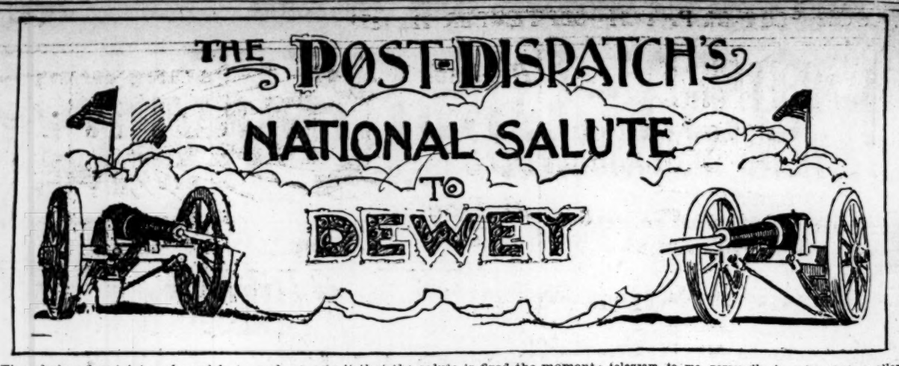
Machinists and Blacksmiths Join the Men Now Out.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 22.—The strikers at Cramp's ship yards were joined today by the blacksmiths and their helpers, who have been at work at the drydocks. Several machinists and joiners, who at first refused to join the nine-hour movement, also deserted their posts.

Although the blacksmiths, who left the drydock yesterday were only five in number, the defection included all employed at that particular point and resulted in a total suspension of work.

Enlistments in the Army.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 22.—The enlistments yesterday were 547, making a total of 8813. The colored regiments are growing, the Forty-eighth having 305 and the Forty-ninth 127.



The chain of patriots who wish to welcome Dewey with a roar of cannon and the flaunting of flags, grows longer with each day.

The Post-Dispatch plan to notify all who desire to honor the great Admiral upon his arrival finds favor everywhere. From East, West, North and South come requests to be placed upon the notification list.

Prominent citizens of hundreds of towns within reach of the telegraph eagerly ask for a place on the Post-Dispatch list. The moment the first streak of the Olympia's smoke is detected by the vigilant eyes of those who will watch for her outside New York Harbor, the glad tidings will be flashed over hundreds of telegraph wires to hundreds of towns by the Post-Dispatch.

Then cannon will boom and flags will flutter all over the land, a fitting tribute to the hero of Manila.

The list will close Monday, Sept. 25, at noon. Requests must be in the office of the Post-Dispatch prior to that hour. Send the name and address of the individual to be notified.

Letters and telegrams received by the Post-Dispatch show that the enthusiasm in the World and Post-Dispatch plan for a national salute is universal. Every section of the country will participate in the greeting.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Sept. 22.—Gen. Rogers says: "I am heartily in favor of the World and Post-Dispatch plan and the Admiral's salute will be fired on notification of Dewey's arrival. The flagship bears the name of our capital city, and we will do our utmost to show our appreciation of her great work. All honor to Dewey and the Olympia!"

Adjt.-Gen. Fox says: "I will personally see to it that the salute is fired the moment we get the word."

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Sept. 22.—Gov. de Forest Richards authorizes the statement that he heartily approves the proposal of the World and Post-Dispatch that a salute be fired in each of the State capitals on the arrival of Admiral Dewey.

If you will wire the Governor the exact minute the Admiral arrives the salute will be promptly fired, as the necessary arrangements have been made through the Adjutant-General of the State and the local militia company.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

BENTON, Ill., Sept. 21.—Kindly put our town on your Dewey list, as per your plan mentioned in your paper, and we will fire the salute for the hero of Manila. J. S. MOORE.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

MOUNT VERNON, Ill., Sept. 21.—Kindly notify us of Dewey's arrival and our citizens will delight to honor our greatest of naval officers. O. M. WATERS.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

AUGUSTA, Mo., Sept. 21.—Kindly wire me the arrival of Admiral Dewey, on the 28th, in New York, so we can fall in line to salute the Admiral. OTTO WOOLGEMUTH.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

ST. CHARLES, Mo., Sept. 21.—Please place the Banner-News on your list of those to whom you are to send message of Admiral Dewey's arrival in New York harbor, as per plan published by you. Thanking you for the kind offer, we are, very truly yours, BRITT & COMANN, Editors.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

DE SOTO, Mo., Sept. 21.—If you will kindly wire us the arrival of Admiral Dewey, as per your generous offer, we will make arrangements for firing the salute. MITCHIM PUB. CO., By J. F. Mitchim.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

PARIS, Mo., Sept. 21.—I have been requested by the Mayor of Paris to ask you to notify this city when Dewey arrives at New York, as we desire to join in the general salute. Please send telegram to me personally in order that smaller towns in the country may be notified by 'phone. T. V. BODINE.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

CORPUS CHRISTI, Tex., Sept. 18.—Put Corpus Christi on the circuit and notify us of Dewey's arrival. If possible, address dispatch to me personally. JOHN B. HARDWICKE, Chairman Dewey Celebration Committee.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

ROSSVILLE, Ill., Sept. 20.—As per your offer in Tuesday's paper, please notify me when our brave Admiral, George Dewey, arrives in New York. We will attend to the rest. ARGO M. DILL.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

SENECA, Mo., Sept. 20.—The Dispatch, on behalf of Seneca, Mo., will do Dewey. Give us the signal. D. W. GAHAGAN, Publisher.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., Sept. 19.—The Evansville Courier will fire an Admiral's salute of 17 guns the moment Dewey arrives in America. Please apprise us of the fact. EVANSVILLE COURIER CO., By H. C. M.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

WELLSVILLE, Mo., Sept. 20.—Put Wellsville on your Dewey list and wire me, and we will fire a salute in honor of the hero of Manila. R. H. MANSFIELD.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

PINE BLUFF, Ark., Sept. 19.—Please notify me by wire when Dewey arrives and I will do the rest. FRANK DAVIS, 117 East Third Avenue.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

WENTWORTH Mo., Sept. 20.—Please wire me information of Dewey's arrival at New York, that we may participate in the salute. Respectfully, JOHN F. WILEY.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

JOPLIN, Mo., Sept. 20.—Per your advice in your issue of the 19th instant, kindly advise me by wire of the arrival of Dewey at New York. It is our wish to aid in the nation's welcome of the greatest hero of the age. WILLARD C. HOSBACH, 111 East Fourth Street.

YOUR FAVORITE MUSIC PLAYED BY INNES' BAND.

If You Want to Hear It, Cast All the Ballots You Can and Get It Placed on the Programme.

Post-Dispatch Request Night.

(Cut out this coupon, fill in blank and mail to City Editor Post-Dispatch, or drop in box at Exposition.)

My favorite musical selection is _____

My second choice is _____

Name _____

Address _____

(Name not intended for publication.)

The announcement that Bandmaster Innes would render only compositions by Wagner at both the concerts on Friday resulted in a large crowd, large even for Music Hall, gathered to hear the works of the great German master. The devotees of the Wagnerian school were in their element and for two hours rapt attention was given to the almost orchestral strains that the celebrated band produced. If other musical organizations that have visited the Exposition have attained more fame for their skill in the use of brass instruments, surely none have excelled Innes in the pieces rendered in the softer notes and those pitched in the minor chords, in the rendition of which, by this band, one gains the impression that a number of stringed instruments are being played upon.

Thursday was given to the sons of "Auld Scotia," and right loyally did they respond. Each performance of one of the old favorites of the land of the brae and the heather was received with the heartiest applause and it looked as though many of the old 'uns in the audience would have been quite satisfied to remain all night listening to the sweet sounds of their childhood's days. The name "Scotch Day" was the magnet that drew one of the largest crowds yet present. The entire building was comfortably filled, the Coliseum proving, as usual, a center of attraction. A game of water polo was played between two pick-up teams captained by A. Siegle and H. A. Braun respectively, which was won by the first named. "Kid" Page and Frank Lewis boxed three rattling good rounds, with no decision, and Louis Rueb again threw Frank Armstrong.

In the main corridor, directly opposite the grand entrance, there was an object which was of the greatest interest—the Post-Dispatch ballot box for the most popular selections to be played the evening of Oct. 2, which Mr. Innes has kindly set aside as "Request night."

The number of votes being cast is surprisingly large, as nine out of every ten who visit the big building make it their business to express a choice in the matter. In the parlance of the day, "every ting goes," from the highest to the lowest in the field of musical compositions. So don't be bashful, even if you'd rather hear "Rock-a-by Baby" than any of the works that have stirred the souls of nations, if enough of your mind vote, the piece will be played, that's all.

AN EVENING WITH RICHARD WAGNER.
7 P. M.

Overture—Rienzi.
Nachtgesang—Tristan and Isolde.
Biblical Scene—Love Feast of the Apostles.
(a) Apostles' Prayer. (b) Chorus of Angels. (c) The Apparition.
Vorspiel—Lohengrin.
9 P. M.
Overture—The Flying Dutchman.
Fantasia—Tannhauser.
Die Walkure—Sigmund's Love Song.
Trombone Solo by Innes.
Huldigung's March.

Following is the athletic programme for Friday, in the Coliseum:

AFTERNOON.

On Athletic Platform—Boxing, wrestling, bag punching and fencing.

In Water Tank—Exhibition game by two local water polo teams; Lee Schuyler in high diving; Charles Fitzgerald, life-saving and sack drop; Miss Margaret Knabner in high and trick diving, assisted by Earl B. Townsend.

EVENING.

On Athletic Platform—Boxing, wrestling, bag punching and fencing.

In Water Tank—Exhibition game by two local water polo teams; Lee Schuyler in his eighty-foot dive from the dome of the Coliseum; Charles Fitzgerald, life-saving and sack drop; Miss Margaret Knabner, high and trick diving, assisted by Earl B. Townsend.

SHIRT WAIST WOMEN STRIKE

Thirty-five Followed Their Forewoman Out of the Factory of the L. Scharff Mfg. Co.

There was a strike among the sewing girls employed by the L. Scharff Manufacturing Co., makers of women's shirtwaists and underwear, 508 Washington avenue. Thirty-five young women refused to go on with their work.

The strike was out of sympathy for their forewoman, Mrs. Augusta Boaz, who, they say, was mistreated by members of the firm. After her discharge Mrs. Boaz went to her home, 1903 LaSalle street, and the girls passed the day at that house.

"Mr. Arthur Scharff wanted to know something about some shirtwaists," she said, "and I could not tell him because he had gone over my head and given the work to the cutter without notifying me. When I told him I did not know, he grew very angry, and told me that I was a fine foreman and that I did not know anything. I won't be talked to that way and told him so; then he shoved me toward the door, gripping my shoulder tightly. I asked the girls to come with me and all but four did."

"There is nothing to it," said Mr. L. Scharff, the head of the firm. "My son asked her something that she should be familiar with and she did not know, and said that it was not her business to know. She talked very loud, and my son ordered her out. The girls followed her. Mrs. Boaz was not struck, nor was she shoved. No hand was laid on her."

GAVE THE POLICE A HOT RUN.

John Hart Arrested and Charged With Burglary.

John Hart, who was arrested on a burglary charge Thursday, gave Sergt. Dreony and Policemen Hoffman and Joplin a hot chase and created no little excitement around the Olympic Theater.

Hart had broken a window in Mike Hartigan's cigar store and thrusting his hands in had taken several boxes of cigars. The police heard the crash and when they appeared on the scene Hart ran. The police pursued and it was not until several shots were fired that Hart surrendered. The property was recovered and identified.

DEATH OF JAMES H. THORNTON.

He Was Well Known in Social and Business Circles.

James H. Thornton of 3830 Washington boulevard, well known in business and social circles, died at 4:30 o'clock Friday morning, after a short illness.

The funeral will be held Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock to St. Francis Xavier's Church.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

ATTACKED BY FILIPINOS

TWO AMERICAN SOLDIERS WERE KILLED AND FIVE WOUNDED.

TRAIN DITCHED AND FIRED ON.

The Enemy Fled Leaving Six of Their Dead in the Thicket by the Railway.

MANILA, Sept. 22, 2:35 p. m.—A party of insurgents ditched a railroad train a mile and a half south of Angeles this morning and then opened fire upon the derailed cars from a bamboo thicket close to the track, killing two Americans and wounding five others.

Lieut. Lome and five of his scouts, who were on the train, made a vigorous defense and caused the enemy to flee. Six dead rebels were afterward found in the thicket from which the rebel fire came.

Gen. Wheaton, with six companies, proceeded from Calulet to the relief of the train, but his services were unneeded.

TROOPS IN CHURCHES.

Sixteen of These Buildings Occupied by Otis' Soldiers.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 22.—The War Department has received the following cablegram from Gen. Otis regarding the military use of church property in the Philippines:

"Referring to your cablegram of September 18, sixteen churches in different localities are occupied by United States troops. Four are only partially occupied and religious services are not interfered with. Three convents are also occupied. These three and ten of the sixteen churches were formerly occupied by the insurgents. Church property is respected and protected by our troops."

GIRL INDICTED FOR MURDER

She Invited a Young Man to Take a Buggy Ride With Her and Shot Him Four Times.

PRINCETON, Ill., Sept. 22.—Miss Kate Herbolsheimer, daughter of well-to-do parents, was yesterday indicted for the murder of Charles Salzman, who, she alleged, was her fiance and had jilted her. Miss Herbolsheimer a few weeks ago invited Salzman to take a ride with her, and when they had reached a lonely spot in the woods she shot him four times. Salzman also drew a revolver and shot the girl twice. Miss Herbolsheimer declared that she can prove that Salzman had threatened her life in anonymous letters, and had put strychnine in her father's well.

CHICAGO'S PRESSING TROUBLE

Proposed Compromise With Labor Leaders on the Cornerstone.

CHICAGO, Sept. 22.—A plan which it is believed will settle the difficulties over the laying of the corner-stone of the new Chicago Postoffice was presented to-day in the shape of an offer from Judge Tuthill representing the local G. A. R. to secure a new stone cut by union labor.

Judge Tuthill declared to the labor leaders that the old soldiers would defray the cost of getting a new stone and would use their influence in settling existing differences between Contractor Pierce and the trades union men. This proposition was received favorably by the majority of the labor men, a minority remaining noncommittal, preferring to hold their voices till the meeting, which will be held to-night. At this conference of the labor people the question of calling a general strike on the postoffice in sympathy with the masons who struck recently, refusing to lay brick for the foundation of the non-union corner-stone or accepting the offer of the local G. A. R., will be discussed. The work of preparing for the ceremony and for the fall festival is being prosecuted vigorously despite the labor troubles.

A Franklin Avenue Attraction.

The continuous stream crowding the Globe, Seventh and Franklin avenue, for those Young Men's Baltimore Merchant tailor-made suits at $7.50 and $10.00, well worth $10.00, $12.50 and $15.00.

UNCLE HENRY'S DAY

MAYOR OF ST. LOUIS SAW THE BELLEVILLE STREET FAIR.

HE ALSO SAW THE MIDWAY.

And the Two Mayors Enjoyed Themselves Amid the Wild Scenes in the Nearby City.

"Onkel Henry" Ziegenhein went to the Belleville Street Fair Thursday and got more worldly wisdom than he could carry home. He met the "Eseli" lady; he capered through the gay midway; he saw the most beautiful flower parade on earth; he bowed to the Queen; he filled himself with Belleville beer and sausage; he made a speech; he was almost torn to pieces by the big crowd; he bought a "Hello Bill" button; he rode on the Ferris wheel, tooted his horn and met his long lost brother.

All this occurred in one half a day, but the Mayor collected enough food for thought to last him a year.

When it was announced that another street fair was to be given in Belleville in the waning half of September, "Onkel Henry" Ziegenhein gathered his nephews about him and told them that on Big Thursday, if he should be spared, he would make a pilgrimage to Belleville.

When the "Hello, Bill," button flashed on the world the Mayor ordered one by telegraph, and when it came he expressed a wish that the fair dates might be moved up.

It was arranged that he should go over with his official flock on a special Air Line train, which left Union Station at 1:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon. The Mayor was there before the train backed in. Mrs. Ziegenhein was with him. She eyed him and noted his eagerness with merry severity.

There was a carloadful going over, from which it follows that there was a full carload coming back. But that is going too fast.

The train was met at the depot by a brass band and a decorated coach, driven by William Bender, Jr., manager of the Western Brewery.

As the Mayor walked through the passage he was met by Mayor Fredericks of Belleville in his new Ziegenhein hat. The glee of Onkel Henry was like unto that of the dromio of Ephesus when he found his long lost brother, the dromio of Antioch. He held Mayor Fredericks at arms' length and looked him over.

"Mein long-lost bruder," he said, and he fell on the neck of Mayor Fredericks and wept for joy.

Again, as in the incident of the reunion of the two dromios, there was a disute as to which should go before, Mayor Fredericks contending that age should have the right-of-way and Mayor Ziegenhein arguing that Mayor Fredericks looked so pretty in his new "bonnet" that he ought to set the pace.

It all ended just as in the play by the two Mayors saying the "not one before the other, but both together" piece, and romping along toward the coach, hand in hand.

As they rode through the streets, sitting beside Mr. Bender, many a man turned pale and rubbed his eyes and asked the one nearest him if he noticed anything peculiar about Mayor Ziegenhein.

It was not an optical delusion, though. Mayor Ziegenhein's double was all wool and quite as wide as himself.

Mayor Fredericks used to work in a decollete shirt in a foundry and juggle kitchen ranges and, although he is an inch or two short of Onkel Henry, he is in other respects as big a man. A question of their relative prowess arose while they were making the rounds of the Aldermen's saloons and Mayor Fredericks offered to "rassle" Mayor Ziegenhein for money, chalk or marbles, or some deserving charity, but Mayor Ziegenhein pleaded that he was not fully rested from his last wrestling match with his House of Delegates.

As long as Mayor Ziegenhein stayed in town he divided attention with the hoochey-koochey bear, the hairy girl and La Belle Fatima, the obese lady in the Japanese Village. Of the four it was hard to determine which drew best. The Mayor seemed to have a little the better of it, but then, of course, he was free.

Speaking of the La Belle Fatima, there are more La Belle's scattered around the fair than were ever before gathered under one tent. There is La Belle Freda, the star of the Orient, who, of course, shines brightest at night, and La Belle Selma and La Belle Ada and La Belle Rosa, the Belle dancer, the prettiest of them all, and a lot more. Mayor Ziegenhein noticed this and thought it strange. "This looks like neotistm to me," he said. "Old man La Belle seems to have had a lot of daughters. Are the La Belles a Belleville family or are these the daughters of that fellow named Belleville, who has had seven or eight wives?"

The Mayor went to see the animals. When De Kenzo went in the cages and lammed Wallace and Barnum and Mrs. Kate and the rest of the lions with his club the Mayor said it reminded him of a meeting of the House of Delegates.

When he was told that Wallace had eaten three men and was getting hungry for another meal, he was heard to wish that the big fellow might dally with Mr. Filley a little while.

The Mayor made his "spiel" at the opera house garden, where the beer is served by pretty girls in dresses which are meant to convey an accurate idea.

The Mayor and the crowd bade Dromio Fredericks farewell there and returned to St. Louis on the Air Line train, which left at 6:30.

BRIEF NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Items of Interest Condensed for the Convenience of Busy Readers of the Post-Dispatch.

Charity Euchre.—A charity progressive euchre will be given by the Ladies' Spiritual Sewing Circle at 2925 Olive street Saturday evening, Sept. 23.

Robbed.—James McMillan of Fourteenth and Market streets reported to the police Thursday night that he had been robbed of $41 in a house on St. Charles street. Belle Jackson and Gertrude Brown, colored, were arrested.

Taken Back.—Frank Wilson, who was arrested here a week ago on a complaint from Evansville, Ind., was taken back to that city Thursday night by Deputy Sheriff Martin Koepple.

Inquiry.—Chief of Police Campbell has received a letter from M. McSweeney of Decatur street, New Orleans, inquiring the whereabouts of his brother, John McSweeney, from whom he has not heard for 24 years.

Emancipation Day.—The colored people of St. Louis celebrated Emancipation Day Friday with a picnic at Hoehn's Grove. There were speeches and drills by the colored Knights of Pythias and three companies of the disbanded Seventh Immunes.

First Lieutenant.—W. H. Butler, of 3510 Cozzens avenue has been commissioned First Lieutenant in the Forty-ninth Infantry, colored, now being organized at Jefferson Barracks. He was First Lieutenant of Company A, Seventh Immunes, during the Spanish war.

Belt Line.—After hearing the arguments for and against the various applications on file for a franchise to operate a belt line around St. Louis from Jefferson Barracks to the Chain of Rocks the St. Louis County Court, at Clayton, took the matter under advisement and adjourned until Monday, when a decision is expected.

Passing Soldiers.—A battalion consisting of four companies of the First United States Infantry passed through St. Louis Thursday night on its way to Fort Leavenworth, Kan. The men arrived in New York a week ago from Puerte Principe, Cuba, where they have been on duty.

Training School.—The examination of candidates for the Manual Training School began in the school rooms at Eighteenth and Washington avenue Friday morning. The attendance was good. Besides those examined a number of pupils will be admitted on High School certificates. Admission is being eagerly sought this year, as the three scholars who make the highest averages during the session will be awarded the Cupples scholarship at Washington University.

Ribs Broken.—William Straub, a blacksmith employed at the Koken Iron Works, fell from a high platform Thursday afternoon and three of his ribs were broken. He is at his home at 1710 South Twelfth street.

Broadway Squad.—St. Louis has a new Broadway squad, a special detail of policemen whose duty it is to help women and children across the busy downtown streets and look pleasant. The new squad will be under the command of Sergeant Sullens of the Central District.

Junior Congress.—A meeting of the Junior Congress of the United States will be held at Shattinger's hall Saturday night to discuss a bill for a national anti-trust law. Five applications for membership will be acted upon.

Wedded.—Miss Julia Pape, daughter of William C. Pape, the assistant Park Commissioner who was killed by Henry Frey three weeks ago, was married Thursday night to Charles Hall at the St. Paul's Friedens Church, at Thirteenth and Utah streets. The couple will live at 3310 Pennsylvania avenue.

Saengerbund.—The Rock Springs Sangerbund elected officers Thursday night as follows: President, Charles Blitt; vice-president, August Bollmer; secretary, G. H. Schrr; treasurer, Charles Schmitt; librarians, Joe Obermeyer and August Bollmer, Jr.; banner bearers, Joseph Framel, Louis Ruhling and Henry Ruhling; collector, Julius T. Haagen; director, W. Lange.

They Fought.—During a saloon quarrel between Joseph Leiter and George Jessel, at 700 South Third street, Jessel drew a revolver and Leiter knocked him down with a pool ball. Both were arrested. Leiter is 70 years old.

Married.—Miss S. Edith McCreal of Salem, Mo., and George J. Dallas of Benton were married at the latter place Thursday night by Rev. B. White, pastor of the Harlem Place Methodist Church. After the ceremony a supper was served at the residence of the groom at 6861 Old Manchester road. Only a few friends were present.

Buried.—The funeral of the late Jas. J. Sylvester, Jr., who died at San Diego last Sunday, took place Friday at his parents' residence in Cabanne. The body arrived Thursday night attended by Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester and relatives of the family from Kansas City. The funeral was private and the interment was at Bellefontaine.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Fred Goetz of Mexico City is at the Planters.

J. Doyle of Denison, Tex., is at the Terminal.

J. L. Smith of Texas is a guest at the Lindell.

G. S. Hale of Caldwell, Tex., is at the Lindell.

Dr. J. W. Heltz of New York City is at the Benton.

B. F. Mayer of Port Arthur, Tex., is at the Benton.

Capt. Boe and wife of Mobile, Ala., are at the Terminal.

M. Hertzman of Bonham, Tex., is a guest at the Lindell.

Howard Egleston of Havana, Cuba, is a guest at the Planters.

Col. F. C. Brickey of Festus, Mo., is a guest at the Laclede.

Mrs. H. Ellan and child of the City of Mexico are at the Terminal.

Hon. J. McD. Trimble of Kansas City, Mo., is a guest at the Southern.

First Christian Church.

Rev. Wm. Malone, an Evangelist of Rushville, Ill., will occupy the pulpit of the First Christian Church, East St. Louis, next Sunday, Sept. 24, morning and evening.

DEATHS.

BRADY—On Thursday, Sept. 21, 1899, at 5 a. m., Carrie Brady, beloved wife of George Brady, and mother of Delia Brady, and sister-in-law of Mrs. Ann McAllister, aged 38 years. Funeral from family residence, 2518 Howard street, on Saturday, Sept. 23, at 8:30 a. m., to St. Leo's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends invited. She was a member of St. Ann's Sodality of St. Leo's Parish.

BUCKLEY—Sept. 21, at 2 a. m., Margaret Buckley, sister of John Buckley and Mrs. Peter Cosgrove (nee Buckley), aged 38 years. Her funeral will take place from the residence of her brother-in-law, Peter Cosgrove, 3620 Garfield avenue, on Saturday, Sept. 23, at 8:30 a. m., to St. Teresa's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends invited to attend.

GOOLD—Mrs. Mary Goold, beloved mother of William H., Robert J. and Mrs. Mary G. Marshal (nee Goold), on Friday, Sept. 22, at 1:30 p. m. Interment takes place at Stewartston, Ill., Saturday afternoon.

MURPHY—On Wednesday, Sept. 20, 1899, at 9 o'clock p. m., at family residence, 2514 Dodier street, Anastasia Murphy (nee Furlong), dearly beloved wife of Thomas Murphy and mother of Lizzie, John and Mrs. Burke. Funeral on Saturday, Sept. 23, at 8:30 a. m., to Sacred Heart Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery.

THORNTON—On Friday, Sept. 22, 1899, at 4:30 a. m., James H. Thornton, husband of Emma L. Thornton. Funeral Sunday, at 2:30 p. m., from family residence, 3830 Washington boulevard, to St. Francis Xavier's Church, Grand and Lindell avenues.

Cheap Excursion

Via B. & O. S.-W. to Washington, Ind., and intermediate stations and return, Sunday, Sept. 24, $1 and less for the round trip. Special train leaves 5:30 p. m. Full particulars at Broadway and Locust streets.

Scruggs, Vandervoort & Barney
DRY GOODS CO.

Umbrellas.

500 Ladies' and Gentlemen's 26 and 28-inch Gloria Silk Serge Umbrellas, steel rod, close roll, Paragon frame, in extensive variety of Natural Wood Handles (each) 98c

400 Ladies' and Gentlemen's 26 and 28-inch Union Taffetas Silk Umbrellas, steel rod, close roll, Paragon frame, new Congo sticks (each)..... $1.25

350 Ladies' 26-inch Black and Changeable Taffetas Silk Umbrellas, steel rod, close roll, Paragon frame, cover and tassels to match; Dresden, Gun Metal and Princess of Wales Handles (each) $1.98

300 Ladies' 26-inch All-Silk Serge Umbrellas, steel rod, close roll, Paragon frame; Black, Navy, Wine, Green, Brown and Changeable; cover and tassels to match; Dresden, imported Furze and Boxwood Handles (each)..... $2.75

New Goods Just Received.

Scruggs, Vandervoort & Barney
DRY GOODS CO.

Misses' and Children's Coats

To-Morrow, Saturday, September 23.

A very large lot of Fall and Winter Coats for Children and Misses, sizes 4 to 16 years, greatly marked down in price.

They are in extensive variety and just adapted for use as school or "every-day" coats.

There is a good assortment in every size and the prices range from

$2.50 to $17.00 Each.

For example:

There's something in every size at

$5.00 Per Garment.

Burlington Route

BEST LINE TO OMAHA

A BIG DEED OF TRUST.

COLUMBIA THEATER GAVE IT TO JOSEPH E. GORMAN.

A deed of trust securing a loan of $100,000 from Joseph E. Gorman to the Columbia Theater Co. was filed at the Recorder's office on Sept. 20. The filing of the document was not made public. The deed was copied in a great hurry, and the original taken away by the trustee, the St. Louis Trust Co.

The employes of the Recorder's office made every effort to conceal the fact that such an instrument had been filed, and even when asked point blank about it, gave the information grudgingly.

The deed was executed on June 1, 1899. The St. Louis Trust Co. is named as the trustee. It conveys to the St. Louis Trust Co. to be held in trust, the 99-year lease held by the theater company on the property at Sixth and St. Charles streets, to be held in trust as security for a loan of $100,000 from Joseph E. Gorman.

The loan is represented by 110 notes, running six months to 60 months, with interest at 5 per cent after maturity. It is provided that if the company default in the payment of the interest on any one note, then all the notes shall fall due at once. In this event the debt is to be paid by the sale of the property.

The deed is signed by Z. W. Tinker, president, and Frank R. Tate, secretary of the company.

JUGGLE WITH KRUGER; GET READY FOR WAR.

This Is the Policy Believed to Have Been Outlined at the British Cabinet Council in London.

NEGOTIATIONS WILL BE PROTRACTED UNTIL TROOPS GO TO THE FRONT.

Baron Rothschild Called Into Consultation by the First Lord of the Treasury; London Financiers Think There Is no Way Now to Avert War; Hostile News From Transvaal.

LONDON, Sept. 22.—A cabinet council was held to-day, beginning at 12:30 p. m., and ending at 2:40 p. m.

The ministers were cheered as they came out of the Foreign Office by the crowd that filled Downing street. Nothing transpired regarding the action taken, though the general impression spread that a vigorous policy had been adopted.

The Secretary of State for War, the Marquis of Lansdowne, and the First Lord of the Admiralty, Mr. George J. Goschen, immediately preceded to the War Office.

The impression current is that publicly the cabinet will only take steps tending to protract the negotiations, while secretly it will prepare the details of an aggressive campaign, perhaps deciding to convoke Parliament, thought it was scarcely believed the latter determination would be announced immediately.

News from South Africa is eagerly awaited, as many think the cabinet council will be immediately followed by a Boer raid.

The dispatches from the Cape continue of a warlike tone, and voice the indignation of the British contingent against the Orange Free State and Afrikander attitude.

Previous to the meeting of the Cabinet, Baron Rothschild visited the first Lord of the Treasury, Mr. Balfour. The circumstance is unusual, and is said to be in connection with the money difficulties the government is encountering regarding the prospective military campaign.

The correspondence between Sir Alfred Milner and President Steyn, strengthens the belief that the Cabinet has decided to send out from 10,000 to 20,000 additional troops to South Africa and leave all questions of diplomacy open until their arrival.

concluded by Great Britain for taking possession of Delagoa Bay Nov. 1, is correct.

According to the Pall Mall Gazette the Cabinet convened to-day was summoned to consider an interim dispatch. It is believed that this paper, which met with the unanimous approval of Mr. Chamberlain's colleagues, will be published as soon as received by the Boers' Government on Monday, or at the latest, on Tuesday.

The Gazette says this dispatch opens with an expression of regret at the unfavorable character of Secretary Reitz's last reply, and proceeds with a very firm insistence upon the repudiation of the claim of the Transvaal to the status of a sovereign state, once more pointing out British readiness to settle at once the nature of the proposed arbitration tribunal, provided the other British conditions are promptly and unreservedly accepted, and concluding with the intimation that the Imperial Government is now engaging in drawing up its own terms, and that the Transvaal may expect to hear from them very shortly.

The Pall Mall Gazette says that another meeting of the Cabinet will take place next Thursday or Friday when the issues will be presented in a more serious shape.

LAING'S NEK AND MAJUBA HILL.

The scene of the great victory of the Boers in 1881 is the principal pass on the frontier between Natal and the Transvaal. The complaint of the Boers of "British troops on the border" has a significant allusion to this pass.
In the picture Majuba Hill is the eminence on the left. The cross marks are the gorge known as Laing's Nek. The square on the plain marks the position taken by the British troops at the beginning of the battle in 1881.

STANDS BY THE TRANSVAAL.

Significant Speech by the President of Orange Free State.

BLOEMFONTEIN, Sept. 22.—At the meeting of the Orange Free State Parliament President Steyn read a carefully prepared speech. After welcoming the burghers, he expressed regret that the relations between Great Britain and the Transvaal had become strained.

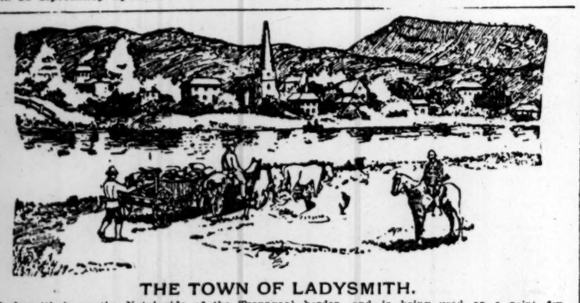
The members, he said, were aware of the meeting of Sir Alfred Milner and President Kruger at Bloemfontein, when President Kruger made proposals, which, although refused by the British high commissioner, were unanimously considered throughout the Orange Free State to be exceedingly fair.

Proceeding to review the negotiations, President Steyn said the Transvaal had been decoyed by the British diplomatic agent at Pretoria, Conyngham Greene, and he practically accused the imperial government of a breach of faith. He said he was disinclined to advise the Transvaal government to accept the latest British demands.

The present critical state of affairs could not be a matter of indifference to the Orange Free State, which was bound by treaty to afford assistance to the Transvaal. He had, therefore, convened the Volksraad to decide the attitude that should be taken.

"There is nothing," declared the President, "that warrants war or an attack upon the Transvaal. Such differences as exist can be solved by arbitration. War would be an insult to religion and civilization."

In conclusion, President Steyn said he would take the opportunity of laying certain drafts of laws before the Volksraad for consideration, praying God to give the members strength to pass resolutions not only conducive to peace and prosperity, but also in the interest of their beloved State.



THE TOWN OF LADYSMITH.

Ladysmith is on the Natal side of the Transvaal border, and is being used as a point for the mobilization of British troops.

Meanwhile the Orange Free State leaders and the Afrikander Bund will bestir themselves to keep peace between England and the Transvaal.

Leading financiers in the city are convinced that war is inevitable, since neither President Kruger nor Mr. Chamberlain can retreat with honor, and there is no other way out of it. That is the commonest expression heard in Lombard street, that each side has gone too far to turn back and hence there is nothing to do but fight it out. An experienced banker remarks that the Government here is waiting in order to put all the reinforcements ashore, and the Boers are holding back for rain, which will give water and grass for their cavalry and that in the course of six weeks there will be a quick three weeks' campaign.

Mr. Chamberlain has, it is believed, provided a draft of an alternative policy and that it turns on the pivot of the paramount authority of the British Government in South Africa. Rumors that the Transvaal Government will be asked to disarm and abandon its lines of fortification in Pretoria and Johannesburg, are premature, but not unfounded.

The Pall Mall Gazette this afternoon published a dispatch from Cape Town which says it is stated the Boers have given a guarantee to their sympathizers of the Orange Free State and Cape Colony that the Transvaal will be the first to make war.

Immediately after the Cabinet council the German Ambassador, Count von Hatzfeldt-Wildenburg, visited the Premier, Lord Salisbury, and had a long conference with him. The fact that a similar visit immediately followed the previous Cabinet council leads sconce persons to attach significance to it and to infer that Emperor William of Germany is taking an active part in Transvaal affairs. The official German press, however, has been so outspoken in telling President Kruger that he need not expect German aid that it is scarcely possible to attach credence to that inference. It is much more probable that the question of Delagoa Bay was discussed, if the despatch printed to-day by the Pioneer of Allahabad, saying negotiations had been con-

TO TAKE DELAGOA BAY.

Great Britain to Assume Possession on November 1.

ALLAHABAD, British India, Sept. 22.—The Pioneer to-day prints a dispatch saying negotiations have been concluded by Great Britain for taking possession of Delagoa Bay Nov. 1. Delagoa Bay is in Portuguese territory in South Africa, and will serve as a base of operations against the Transvaal.

Mules From Indiana.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW ALBANY, Ind., Sept. 22.—Maj. Van Mallory of this city has received an order for a big batch of mules to be shipped to the British army in the Transvaal.

CHEER STEYN'S REPLY.

Boers of the Transvaal See a Friend Near at Hand.

PRETORIA, Sept. 22.—The executive council sat until 5 o'clock yesterday evening. A telegram containing President Steyn's reply to Sir Alfred Milner, the British High Commissioner in South Africa, was loudly cheered. A large order for horses has been given in the Orange Free State. The field cornets say that in the event of mobilization 4000 men will be available at Pretoria alone.

Field cornets are the commanders of small bodies of cavalry used for scouting and rapid movements.

CAVENDER'S POSITION.

LATE LIEUT.-COL. DOES NOT JOIN WITH BATDORF.

THE HICKMAN INCIDENT.

Cavender Says He Has No Quarrel With the State Officers and Did Not Know of Batdorf's Suit.

Former Lieutenant-Colonel Cavender of the old First Regiment, N. G. M., declares that he was in no wise connected with the suit for damages, brought by former Col. Batdorf against Gov. Stephens.

"I am not in Col. Batdorf's confidence," he said Friday, "and did not know such action was contemplated. I think a false impression of my position has been created by connecting my name with the suit. In the first place I had no trouble with the State officers and left Missouri without any quarrel with them. Gen. Bell will substantiate this. I was not the commanding officer, merely a subordinate, and was not in a position to speak the sentiment of the regiment. While it is true that Gov. Stephens visited Jefferson Barracks while the State troops were encamped there, I do not recall that he once visited the First Regiment.

"There was not as much in the Hickman incident at Chickamauga Park as has been represented in various newspapers, and it is not true that he was humiliated before the regiment or a battalion. When Lieut. Hickman reported for duty I told him if he could show me a law for battalion adjutancies or obtain an order for assignment for duty from a higher officer I would place him.

"Col. Batdorf was on brigade duty at the time and I was commanding the regiment. Lieut. Hickman could not show a law, but did obtain an order from the division commander and I assigned him to duty. With difficulty I found him quarters, and the next day he brought his trunk out from Chattanooga. That day he asked me if he should buy a horse. Frankly I told him not to do so until this question of battalion adjutancies was finally ruled upon. There was drill and parade that afternoon and I asked him to go on the field and watch the maneuvers. During the drill I did not need my sword, but did on parade, so I asked him to carry it on the field for me. This he did and was standing under a shade tree, when Col. Batdorf rode rapidly from brigade headquarters, across the field, waving a telegram. He was very excited, and said it was from the War Department. I read it and brought the regiment to 'attention.' I said: 'Men, battalion adjutancies don't go.' There was not a stir in the line at the time, but there was cheering in the camp later, which was only natural, as the men did not want to see outsiders come into the regiment over them. That was the Hickman incident. I consider Hickman an honorable gentleman, treated him as such and did not order him from the field or humiliate him."

MARY ANN WAY'S WILL

HER DAUGHTERS' HUSBANDS LEFT OUT.

LOCUST STREET PROPERTY.

Everything Bequeathed to the Daughters, and Edwin Harrison Named as Trustee.

The will of the late Mary Ann Way, widow of John C. Way, filed Friday morning, disposes of valuable real and personal property including a prominent downtown corner.

It includes, also, a most unusual clause, which forever leaves out the husbands of Mrs. Way's daughters from sharing in the property which she bequeaths to them.

Mrs. Way was well known in St. Louis social and charitable circles. She died recently. Edwin Harrison is named as trustee uunder the will and the St. Louis Trust Co. as executor.

The heirs are Eliza Perry Harrison, wife of O. M. Harrison; Anna Way Caldwell, widow of Charles L. Caldwell; Carrie Way Livingstone, wife of Julius J. Livingstone; James Clark Way and Ellis John Way.

To the three daughters Mrs. Way bequeathed all of her wearing apparel and jewelry. To all of the children she devised her tableware, silverware and household effects, to be divided equally.

Mrs. Way was the owner of valuable property on the northeast corner of Seventh and Locust streets, extending almost to the Equitable Building. This corner she leaves in trust with the St. Louis Trust Co. for her five children. They, however, are merely to receive the income from the property and at their death it will be held in trust for their children or such other heirs of Mrs. Way as shall be entitled to it.

All of her other property Mrs. Way left to her children, also, with the stipulation that where there were leases running they should be permitted to expire before the property could be disposed of and that in no case was any of it to be disposed of within five years from the time of her death.

There is a clause which expressly provides that "whatever property may come into possession of the daughters shall be theirs alone and that none of their present husbands or husbands they may hereafter marry shall have any right to the property or any portion of it.

JEFFERSON CLUB'S GROWTH.

Three Hundred New Members Admitted Thursday Night.

The Jefferson Club now has a membership of 1875. At Thursday's meeting 332 new members were admitted. The next meeting will probably be held in the new quarters, formerly the Marquette Club. In this building quarters will be given the Democratic Physicians' Club, which is now in the process of formation and will be completely organized Saturday evening.

The Jefferson Club decided not to attend the Dallas meeting in a body unless a round trip of $10 could be secured from the railroads.

Last Excursion Via B. & O. S.-W.

To Washington, Ind., and return, Sunday, Sept. 24. $1 for the round trip. Special train leaves Union Station 8:00 a. m. Particulars at Broadway and Locust street.

AS DREYFUS VIEWS HIS CASE.

At First There Was No General Conspiracy.

LATER THERE WAS PLOTTING.

HIS PECULIAR TEMPERAMENT MADE HIM UNPOPULAR.

Zola's Letter to Mme. Dreyfus in Which He Counsels Repose for the Martyr While His Friends Fight.

CARPENTRAS, France, Sept. 22.—Mme. Dreyfus arrived here last evening. A number of visitors called, but Capt. Dreyfus refused to see any one until he had met his children, who are to arrive here to-morrow.

PARIS, Sept. 22.—A correspondent of the Figaro claims to have accompanied Dreyfus on the journey from Nantes to Carpentras, where the latter is now stopping. He describes Dreyfus as follows:

I found before me a being with fine, regular features, with a calm and mild expression. He is pink of face, which would give him an expression of extreme youth if the top of his head were not absolutely bald, and if the hair on each side were not quite gray.

This being is enfeebled by anemia, and what blood there is left in him flows toward the head, the last refuge of his prodigious vitality.

His neck is thin, his hands are long and the knees are pointed like nails through the blue bloth of his trousers.

His chest is hollowed, his entire body is that of a vanquished being but for the energy of the mouth, the square jaw and the will expressed in the look of his eyes. They are blue, charming and mild, limpid and clear.

In discussing his case, Dreyfus said, in explanation of the hatred of himself, shown by so many French officers:

"I think that the cause of it is rather complex. Firstly, and above all, I was believed to be guilty. It could never have been suspected that they could have plunged so light-heartedly into error. Then there was anti-Semitism in a latent state. Lastly, my manner may perhaps have had something to do with it. Yes, I was rather cure, but only with myself, for I strove to show as much consideration as possible to my inferiors.

"In my dealings with my chiefs I always retained my outspokenness and independence. If a plan or any piece of work seemed to me to be badly conceived, I did not hesitate to say so aloud, instead of considering myself obliged to approve everything in advance, as I saw done all around me, when it was a chief who spoke or acted.

"I think that at the beginning, up to the time of the court-martial of 1894—that is to say, toward the end of the investigation—they believed—at least the majority of the persons connected with it—that I was guilty, but at the court-martial it was different."

Of Esterhazy, he said:

"I think he is a swindler, a chevalier d'industrie, who has swindled his country—it is not even his country—just as he swindled his cousins and his tradesmen, but without in the least realizing that he did so. He wanted money. That was the motive. There is always a motive, you know."

"What it could have been in my case? No one ever saw me touch a card, so I was not a gambler.

"It was said that I had led a fast life. How can you explain, then, that I took the ninth place on leaving the college? Don't people know what arduous work these examinations mean?

"Gen. Mercier said that the search for a motive for a crime belonged to the domain of psychology, and that we were on the judicial 'domain.' What does that mean?

"I was never in the law, but it seems to me that the first thing to be done when one suspects a criminal is to discover the motive for his crime. What motive had I?

"As to the theory of the court-martial upon the extenuating circumstances, it is just like this: Treason against his country is the greatest crime a human being can commit. A murderer or a thief may find some excuse for himself; his crime is one against an individual. Treason is a crime against a collectivity. There are no extenuating circumstances. It is a monstrosity."

ZOLA TO MME. DREYFUS.

The Martyr Must Have Repose While Friends Fight On.

PARIS, Sept. 22.—The Aurore publishes the full text of Zola's letter to Mme. Dreyfus, as follows:

Dear Madame:—Your husband and those who defended him have been exposed to the vilest insults and even to bodily injury. For my part, there are organs belonging to the "gutter press" and men so tainted with moral dirt that I have struck them from my life, from my memory. For me they are no more. I have driven them completely from my thoughts as if I never had already swallowed them. It is such forgetfulness of atrocious insults that I recommend to the innocent man who has suffered the wrongs. He is so much apart, so far above them all, that they should not be able to reach him. May he come to life again under your care, and under the clear sunshine of universal sympathy shown for him.

Peace be to the martyr who has had such need of repose and around him now, in retreat, may there be nothing but love and caresses. As for us, Madame, we shall continue the fight. We shall to-morrow go on with the struggle for justice as sternly as we pursued it yesterday. We shall exact rehabilitation of the innocent man less for the sake of him, who has already so much glory, than for France, which would assuredly be killed by this excess of infamy.

Our task will be the regeneration of France in the eyes of the universe, which will take place when the infamous judgment has been quashed. A great country cannot live without justice, and ours will remain in mourning just as long as the stain of insult is leveled at the highest jurisdiction and the violation of the most primitive rights shall remain.

The social fabric crumbles when the guarantee of law no longer exists, and there is in this violation of right such an element of insolence and bravado so impudent that we cannot ignore it. We cannot bury a body secretly without showing our shame to our neighbors. The whole world has seen and heard, and it is before the whole world that reparation should take place. To desire a France without honor is criminal.

Without doubt foreigners will come to our exhibition. They will overflow Paris, just as numbers are attracted to a fair by the sound of music and flare of lamps, but should that satisfy our pride—should we not value esteem as highly as the money of the outside world? We shall exhibit our science, our art and our industry.

Should we dare to exhibit our justice one can imagine Devil's Island reconstructed and exhibited. For me the shame of it is intolerable. I don't understand how the exhibition can be opened unless France takes rank again among the nations. When honor has been restored formally to the condemned man honor will be restored to France—not before.

Allow me to say in conclusion, madame, that you may depend on those who have stood to your husband his freedom to restore to him his honor. Not one of us will give up the fight. We know well that we fight for justice and for our country. The splendid brother of the condemned man will again set the example of courage, wisdom and justice.

We have not been able all at once to restore your husband to you, freed from lying accusations. We ask yet a little patience, trusting that your children will not be much older before their name shall be legally purged of all blemish.

Poor children, I see them again in the arms of their father. I know with what jealous care, by what miracle of delicacy, you have kept them in complete ignorance. They believed their father away on a journey, and when they became inquisitive at long absence, what could you tell them when his innocence was as yet only believed in by one or two? Your heart must have broken. But in these last few weeks, when his innocence was palpable to all, I could have wished that you had taken your two children by the hand and conducted them to the prison in Rennes, that they might have had forever in their minds the picture of their father's heroism. You could have told them all that he had unjustly suffered, what moral grandeur was his, with what tenderness they should love him, in order to make him forget iniquitous men with their little souls.

They would have benefited by this demonstration of manly virtue. It is not now too late. Some evening, under the lamp, and in the peace of his family, their father can take them upon his knees and tell them the tragic history. It is necessary that they should know, in order that they may respect and adore him as he deserves. When he has spoken they will know that there is not in the world a greater hero-martyr whose suffering has so profoundly touched men's hearts. They will be proud of him and will bear his name with glory as the name of a very brave man who has borne himself sublimely under the most frightful sufferings which fraud and cowardice could inflict.

The day will come when the son and daughter, not of the condemned man, but of his persecutors, will have cause to blush.

Accept, madame, my profoundest respect.

EMILE ZOLA.

GEN. GALLIFET'S APPEAL.

Letter to Loubet Suggesting the Pardon of Dreyfus.

PARIS, Sept. 22.—The letter of the Minister of War, Marquis de Gallifet, proposing to President Loubet a pardon for Dreyfus, reads as follows:

"Monsieur le President—On the 9th of September, the court-martial at Rennes condemned Dreyfus, by five votes against two, to 10 years' detention. By a majority of the court there was a grant of extenuating circumstances. After appealing for a council of revision, Dreyfus withdrew his application."

"The judgment thus becomes final and partakes of the authority of the law before which every one ought to bow. The highest function of government is to enforce respect for the decisions of justice without distinction or reservation.

"But, resolved to fulfill this duty, it ought also to take into account what clemency the public interests counsel. The verdict of the court-martial admitted extenuating circumstances, and the desire is expressed that the sentence might be mitigated. The indications ought to solicit attention.

"As the result of the judgment of 1894, Dreyfus has already undergone five years' transportation. That judgment was annulled on June 3, 1895. A lesser penalty was applied at Rennes. If one deducts from the 10 years' detention the five years already served on the Isle du Diable, five years are left.

"It has been suggested that solitary confinement in a cellular prison counts double. Further, the health of the condemned man is seriously compromised. He cannot bear prolonged detention. Apart from these considerations, there are others of a more general order, but which tend to the same conclusion.

"Higher political interests necessitates the calling up of all the powers which are exacted from governments after a difficult crisis. These same interests necessitate that certain orders of facts be construed as measures of clemency and oblivion. The governments would ill respond to the desire of the country, which is desirous of pacification, if by acts which belong to it, whether on its own initiative or on a proposal of Parliament, it does not take steps to efface all traces of the painful conflict.

"It remains, M. le President, by an act of supreme humanity to give the first pledge of the work of pacification, which the public demands and which the welfare of the republic ordains. For these reasons I have the honor to purpose for your signature the following decree:

"1. There is accorded Alfred Dreyfus a remission of the rest of his penalty of 10 years' detention, pronounced against him by decree of the court-martial at Rennes and dated Sept. 9, 1899, also military degradation.

"2. The Minister of War is charged with the execution of the present decree."

PRESIDENT GREEN IS COMING.

He Will Hold a Conference Over the Cowboy Contest at the Fair.

President Robert Aull of the St. Louis Fair Association received a telegram Friday morning from President E. H. R. Green of the Texas Midland Railroad, stating that he will arrive in St. Louis Saturday to confer with him and Mr. B. F. Yoakum, vice-president and general manager of the Frisco line, regarding the coming international cowboy riding and roping contest to take place Friday and Saturday during the St. Louis Fair. President Green has been one of the prime movers in this enterprise.

In recent communications with him and his railroad officials he has stated that the whole State of Texas is alive with enthusiasm over the opportunity to see the best tough riders of the world in competition for the handsome prizes offered by the St. Louis Fair Association. The entries the Fair Association has so far received show clearly that the interest is not confined alone to the State of Texas, but stretches through Oklahoma, Kansas, Indian Territory, Colorado and even Old Mexico.

The conference concerning the matter with these prominent railroad officials and President Aull will take place at the latter's office at the Fair Grounds Saturday.

Mr. W. H. Bradrick, who has general charge of the enterprise, writes President Aull from Fort Worth, Tex., that he has secured the entries of the most expert cowboys, ropers and riders of that State to take place in the contest, and in a trip made purposely to ascertain the state of feeling among the people of the State of Texas, he feels confident the attraction will draw enormously. Mr. Bradrick states that the horses to be ridden by the cowboys will be of the worst possible outlaw type, and that the public will have an opportunity to see these bucking animals up against a lot of bucking steers.

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Miss Mamie Walters and P. J. Lally Got a Marriage License.

When P. J. Lally of 1325 South Thirteenth street, and Miss Mamie Walters of 4349 South Compton avenue applied for a marriage license late Thursday afternoon, they were forced to submit to a cross fire of questions, put to them by the cautious clerks in the Recorder's office. The clerks had been watching for them for two days, having been informed that the couple were closely related to each other. One informant said the man was the young woman's uncle.

Miss Walters explained to the satisfaction of the clerks that Lally was not a blood relative, but was only the brother of her mother's second husband—her step-uncle, as it were. On this showing the license was granted. Lally is a brother of Assistant Secretary of the Police Board Edward Lally.

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REV. DR. STOCKING GOES AWAY.

Leaves the Maple Avenue Church for Youngstown, O.

Rev. C. H. Stocking, pastor of the Maple Avenue Methodist Church, has been transferred to a charge at Youngstown, O., and his place will be filled by Rev. A. M. Billingsley, now of Youngstown.

The exchange was made by Bishop Mallalieu at the request of Rev. Stocking, who desired to go to Youngstown in order that he might be in a position to look after a considerable estate left by his brother, who died recently. The property is at Willoughby, O.

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MARRIED IN GREAT HASTE

William L. Witt and Miss Eva Dixon of Rock Bridge, Ill., Were in a Hurry to Wed.

William L. Witt and Miss Eva L. Dixon applied for a marriage license Friday morning. They were travel-stained and out of breath when they entered the recorder's office. They told the clerk they were from Rock Bridge, Ill., and wanted a license quick.

"We want to surprise somebody at home and we haven't much time," said Witt.

Both the young persons were a few months over age and the license was granted.

After securing the precious paper the couple headed straight for Justice Walker's office to have the nuptial knot tied.

Neither would discuss the circumstances which prompted them to leave Rock Bridge, though they did not attempt to conceal the fact that they were elopers.

Removal Notice.

Higdon & Longan, patent lawyers, have removed to Union Trust Building. Suite 605.

SUIT ON PROMISSORY NOTE.

Minors Want $3,250 From the Maplewood Park Land Co.

Bessie Levy, Leonard Levy and Carl Levy, minors, through the curator of their estates, Lewis J. Lippelt, filed suit Friday against the Maplewood Park Land and Improvement Company, Charles Farrar, Frank R. Tate, Moses Greenwood, Jr., and Moses M. Greenwood to recover a balance of $3250 on a promissory note.

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Hat Specials.

Just arrived—10 cases of Ladies' New Felt Tam Hats—the latest London craze. See them in our show window. These Hats should command $3.50 each—they will go on sale tomorrow for

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Waist Special.

100 Ladies' Waists. Silk Corded Taffeta—all beautifully made and lined throughout, high princess collar, tucked and corded yoke, flaring cuffs, all new shades, value $5.00, like cut—Saturday's price,

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Jacket Special.

300 Ladies' Jackets—made from the best quality wide wale black Camel's Hair Cheviot, beautifully tailored, *satin lined throughout*—first class in every particular, exactly like cut, equal to any $10 jacket sold—Saturday's price,

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Shoe Special.

Ladies' Shoes—Like cut, made of box calf, dongola and vici kid, London toe and broad heels, English back stay, extension soles—it has style, fit and appearance of a $5 shoe, Saturday's Price,

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A Wedding in Assumption.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

ASSUMPTION, Ill., Sept. 22.—A. C. Hillis Smith of Mattoon and Miss Leota Johnson, daughter of Leopold Johnson, a wealthy farmer, were married Wednesday night at the home of the bride, the Rev. Mr. Berry of Mattoon performing the ceremony. The bridal party left to-day for Mattoon, their future home.

WILL GOEBEL LIVE THROUGH IT?

Bets That He Will Be Shot Before Election Day.

PURELY PERSONAL POLITICS.

REMARKABLE CAMPAIGN NOW ON IN KENTUCKY.

Origin and Rise of the Man Who, Without Friends, Expects to Win the Highest Office in the State.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

COVINGTON, Ky., Sept. 22.—"You are a traitor," said one of the Goebel Democrats to Theodore Hallam, the ablest speaker of the anti-Goebel Democrats. "You said that you would support even a yellow dog on a regular Democratic ticket."

"You are right," replied Hallam. "I would support even a yellow dog, but lower I cannot, I will not go."

This is a specimen of the higher kind of amenities which the present campaign is calling forth in Kentucky. The ordinary kinds are so vicious that it would be impossible to put them into print.

The Goebelites and anti-Goebelites are carrying on a war which rages from one end of Kentucky to the other. How bloodshed has been avoided thus far no one quite understands. Every one in the State is anxiously awaiting the report of the first revolver, which, it is thought, will surely be the signal for a savage outburst of violence.

Bets have been made that Goebel himself will be shot before election day. Goebel goes about strongly guarded, and as he speaks his followers watch the crowd closely.

A few nights ago, when he was up in the mountains, staying with one of the Hatfields, the alarm went out that the attempt to murder him was about to be made. There was a great hurrying to his headquarters, but it turned out that the cause of the alarm was a meeting between some of the Hatfields and some of the McCoys.

Both sides support Goebel, and the McCoys had come up to the Hatfields' house to see him. The Hatfields, seeing them approaching in force, began to prepare for the defense. The McCoys, seeing these preparations, drew their revolvers. The misunderstanding was presently explained, and so the truce which these families declare when a political campaign is on was not violated.

Goebel is a Covington lawyer. He was born in Pennsylvania. He has been in politics all his life. He does not drink. He does not smoke. He abhors women and is abhorred by them. He lives and moves and eats and breathes for politics only.

In appearance he is almost forbidding. He is of medium stature, closely built, with the frame of a fighter. His nose is long and thin. His lips are cruel, and his jaw is so compressed that one would think he was trying to crush his own teeth. His complexion is pasty and yellow, brown. His hands are clammy and he avoids shaking hands as much as possible. His eyes are small and gray and cold and keen.

In his presence all are uneasy. His voice is as harsh as the caw of a crow. He has no personal friends and wishes none. He treats his lieutenants like servants. He does not know what the word conciliation means.

Yet he is the first real boss that has ever appeared in Kentucky. He is the ablest, the most successful, the most adroit politician in the State, binding men to his interest and compelling them to his support as no other political leader has ever been able to do. He has built a compact, powerful political machine, which enables him to hold the Democratic party in the hollow of his hand.

For years he has had his political programme of personal aggrandizement mapped out. For three years he has been working upon that part of it which was marked the "Governorship."

"If Goebel is beaten," said one of his enemies to-day, "I think he will kill himself. He is a political desperado, and I think that political ruin would cause him to put a bullet through his head."

The proposition which faced him was: "How can I, born in another State, and having no powerful family and having no Confederate record, become the candidate for Governor?"

He began by getting hold of the Legislature, of which he has been a member for 10 years. Then he introduced the most amazing election bill ever concocted in a republic. The bill put the entire control of the election machinery in the hands of a State board, composed of three men. This board was to be elected by the Legislature. Its three members were to have the power to appoint and remove at will every election officer in the State. He drove this bill through the Legislature under his boss' lash. The Governor, Bradley, a Republican, vetoed it. Every one thought the bill was dead because even the Democratic opposition was strenuous. But Goebel's lash descended and in spite of pledges and solemn protestations the necessary vote was secured.

The bill became a law. Goebel's creatures in the Legislature appointed men satisfactory to him, to the State Board, and today he has in his hands the entire election machinery. If he chooses he can will what the vote shall be.

"You dare not defeat me," is his taunt to those Democrats who hate him, "because if the Republicans win they will have this electoral machinery in their hands and will see to it that no more Democrats are elected in Kentucky."

"After getting his law upon the statute books, the next step was to get himself the nomination. He went to the Louisville convention a poor third in the race. But by playing Stone against Hardin and Hardin against Stone, by outgeneraling both, by being "practical" where they followed the tactics of the old school, he won and became the regular nominee.

There might have been no organized opposition within the party, in spite of the furious anger of all the old school political leaders, had it not been for the Louisville & Nashville Railroad, the great dominating corporation of Kentucky. Goebel and that corporation have been at war ever since he became a practicing lawyer. It is his fight against the railroad that has given him his political hold, his popularity with a large section of the masses.

As a lawyer he fought every damage suit he could get hold of, and he has won so many of these suits and "soaked" the railroad for such heavy sums that the railroad made his destruction one of its principal objects. This has been a great help to him, and is his best aid in the present campaign.

As a member of the Senate he introduced bills against the railroad, many of them just. Whether he succeeded in carrying them of whether he failed, he got full credit with the people to whom the corporation is odious.

Goebel and his friends charge that the Louisville & Nashville Railroad is the chief financial backer of the campaign against him, led by ex-Gov. Brown of Louisville, the bolter's candidate for Governor.

The charges seem to be pretty generally believed, but the opposition to him is not, as he and his friends allege, wholly corporate. It is not even chiefly corporate. It centers about the old political leaders, practically all of them except "Joe" Blackburn. These men do not like Goebel and his methods. They do not like the class of men with which he has surrounded himself. They loathe his election law. They regard him as a menace to political freedom in Kentucky.

In this opposition are many of the Kentucky gold Democrats, but they are a small element. The leaders and the mass of voters they expect to influence are simple Democrats, the most of them far more sincerely for the Chicago platform than Goebel, who is at heart not a silver man.

The opposition is responsible for the fury with which the campaign is conducted. Goebel had no desire to "call names," but they feel that they must "call names" because their fruit is Goebel's public and private character.

Now both Goebel and the anti-Goebel speakers carry their mud buckets and empty them whenever they pause.

The most frequently iterated charge is that Goebel is a murderer. He shot and killed a man named Sanford in the streets of Covington.

Sandford and he were friends until Goebel voted a proxy which Sanford had given him in a way which Sandford alleged was directly contrary to instructions. Out of that incident grew a hatred which ended in Sandford's death.

Sandford's son, a young man of high spirit, has been gotten away to Manila because it was feared he would try to kill the slayer of his father. At the time of Sandford's death it was generally expected that his most intimate friend, "Joe" Blackburn, would kill Goebel, but Blackburn and Goebel are now stumping the State together.

Goebel's enemies pray that if Goebel is not beaten he will reward Blackburn by keeping him out of the Senatorship, which Blackburn so eagerly desires.

The anti-Goebel men are calculating upon an indeterminable quantity—the secret and silent popular opposition to Goebelism in Kentucky politics. They talk enthusiastically of the prospects of beating him—that is, as enthusiastically as a Kentucky Democrat can talk of anything which involves the election of a Republican—but, privately, they are much depressed by the "bull luck" of this sleepless and strenuous schemer, so audacious, so relentless, so confident.

They are trying to convince Mr. Bryan that it would be fatal for him to come into the State and take sides in a factional quarrel. But thus far Mr. Bryan has adhered to his original position—that Goebel is "regular," that Democratic success in Kentucky this fall is absolutely necessary to successful campaigning next year; that it is his duty to come to Kentucky and urge the voters to fall in line for victory.

At the last election in 1897 the regular Democratic plurality over the Republicans was 17,804, which 9562 Democratic votes cast for a gold Democrat and 7274 for a Populist. Goebel is just now giving a rare exhibition of personal courage. His friends heard and assured him that a plot had been formed to kill him while he was stumping in the remote mountain districts. He went straight on with his plans and is now driving about over these wild mountain roads, accompanied by a few friends and the newspaper men who have been sent with him in the expectation that there will be a tragedy of some sort.

His speeches reek with gall. Wherever he stops his hoarse voice is lifted up to hurl taunts and epithets at his enemies.

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Men's very fine Fall Top Coats of imported coverts, whipcords, kerseys, meltons, etc., exquisite colors, elegantly tailored, satin sleeve lining, some silk faced, some lined all through with silk, elegant garments— $15, $12.50, $10 and $7.50

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Men's Fine Trousers, medium colors, dark colors, striped, checks, plaids and fancy mixtures, in cassimeres and worsteds..... $3.95 and $2.45

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Ladies' Serge and Cheviot Suits, fly front or reefer jackets, satin lined throughout, skirts cut en traine, elegantly tailored and finished, worth up to $15.00 ..... $5.98

Ladies' Tan Covert Cloth Jackets, fly front, lined throughout, mercerized satin lining, worth $5, go at $2.49

Ladies' Golf Plaid Skirts, pleated back, full width, corduroy binding, worth $3.50, at $1.89

Ladies' 30-inch long Silk Plush Capes, heavily lined and padded collar and front, edged with thibet fur, worth $10, at $5.98

Ladies' Flannelette House Waists, soft collar, full front, as long as they last 25c

Ladies' Taffeta Silk or Satin Waists, full corded, blouse front, stock collar, new bell sleeves, tight lining, bought at $6, during this sale at $2.98

Ladies' Fur Collarettes, electric seal, with chinchilla combination, high storm collar, with rhadame lining, worth $4.50, at $2.89

BOYS' SUITS.

Boys' Double-Breasted Knee Suits, good, strong and serviceable, suitable for school wear..... $2.95 and $1.95

Boys' Middy Suits, ages 3 to 8, some with sailor collars, others with Tuxedo collars, all handsomely tailored and trimmed..... $6.50, $4.95 and $2.95

Boys Knee Suits, in neat and fashionable cheviots, cassimeres and worsteds, well tailored and trimmed and substantially built, all colors and styles, $6.50, $4.95 and $3.95

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Men's Satin Calf Lace and Congress, all styles, $1.50 goods, cut to..... $1.00

Men's Tan and Black Calf Lace Shoes, union stamp—$2.50 goods..... $1.98

Men's Tan Willow and Box Calf Lace Shoes, heavy double sole and hand sewed $2.98

Children's Vici Kid Button Shoes, spring heels, sizes 4 to 8, 75c values, cut to..... 49c

Misses' Heavy Sole Dongola Lace Shoes, just the thing for school wear, cut from $1.25 to 89c

Little Gents' Extension Sole Box Calf School Shoes, sizes 9 to 13, cut from $1.35 to $1.00

Boys' and Youths' Satin Calf Lace School Shoes, sizes 11 to 2..... 89c

2 to 5½..... $1.00

500 Pairs Ladies' Vici Kid Lace Shoes, patent or stock tip, sizes 4 to 8, cut from $1.50 to..... 99c

Ladies' one-strap, Vici Kid patent tip slippers, $1.25 value..... 75c

Ladies' Vici Kid Lace Shoes, patent or stock tips, all styles and sizes, regular $2.00 value..... $1.50

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INJURED BY AN AUTOMOBILE

Mrs. Kate Anselm and Mrs. Mary Paule Thrown From Their Vehicle by a Collision.

The automobile claimed its first victim in or around St. Louis Thursday night.

As a result Mrs. Kate Anselm and Mrs. Mary Paule of Clayton are confined to their homes suffering from injuries.

Mrs. Paule and Mrs. Anselm were riding along the Olive street road, near Wesleyan Cemetery, when the automobile crashed into their vehicle. There was no warning. The rubber-tired motor carriage crept up behind them noiselessly. It contained a man and two boys.

When the crash came both women were thrown into a ditch.

The man alighted from the automobile, but when he saw another rig coming down the road he jumped up again, turned on the power and sped away. This rig proved to be a buggy driven by Mrs. O. A. Smith of Clayton, who took the women to her home.

Mrs. Anselm is the more seriously injured. Her collar bone and several ribs were broken.

HER HUSBAND'S REAL NAME.

Mrs. Overbeck Didn't Know Whether He Spelled It With a "V."

Mrs. Caroline Overbeck of 1120 Monroe street, called at the Marriage License office Friday morning to find out her deceased husband's real name.

She said his name had been spelled both Oberbeck and Overbeck, and this fact was about to cause her trouble, as she had applied for a pension as the widow of August Overbeck, and the Government authorities had questioned the legality of that name.

License Clerk Emil Leonhardt looked up the record, and found that the marriage license had been issued under the name Overbeck. He gave Mrs. Overbeck a certified copy of the license, and she went away happy.

SPANIARD'S FOOLISH ACT.

Waved His Country's Colors at Havana and Was Clubbed.

HAVANA, Sept. 22.—A Spaniard who went to a wharf to see his family off to-day took a fan of Spanish colors from his pocket, waved it and gave a cheer for Spain. A small crowd collected, and a policeman clubbed the man, injuring him seriously.

DISGRACE FOR MONTOJO.

Spanish Admiral Condemned to Retirement for Loss of Manila.

MADRID, Sept. 22.—Rear Admiral Montojo, who commanded the Spanish naval forces in the battle of Manila Bay, has been condemned to retirement without the right of promotion.

J. N. Will Not Urge.

J. N., the great and only philosopher, is determined to act philosophically. He does not wish his brief expression of reconciliation published in the Post-Dispatch until the 2d of October. He lifts the veil in Marshall next Monday night. On the 2d of October he scatters the crusting element from his many friends in the opera house at Lexington, Mo. All for truth's sake.

Dewey's Portrait...

(FULL PAGE)

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DECLARES IT AN OUTRAGE

Capt. Ab. Grimes Arrested and Discharged.

BROUGHT FROM ELSBERRY.

IS CHARGED WITH HAVING NO LIQUOR LICENSE.

He Produced His License, Properly Issued, and Is Indignant at His Treatment by Deputy Marshals.

Capt. Ab. C. Grimes, president of the Burlington Fishing and Hunting Club at Elsberry, Mo., was arrested Friday by a United States Deputy Marshal on a warrant charging him with a violation of the internal revenue law.

Before the deputy and his prisoner reached the Federal Building it was discovered that a serious mistake had been made.

It was found that Capt. Grimes had a right to sell liquor under a license granted to the Burlington Fishing and Hunting Club.

The Captain was indignant when the deputy marshal confronted him with the warrant.

"Why, here's my license," he said, producing a document issued by the internal revenue office.

The deputy said he was merely performing his duty, the question of Grimes' guilt or innocence resting with the United States authorities at St. Louis.

The distance from St. Louis to Elsbery is over 60 miles, and Capt. Grimes' protest that he had important business to transact before leaving was of no avail.

Meanwhile E. T. Blow, representing the Internal Revue Department, was arranging to dismiss the case.

But Grimes, who is a veteran of the civil war and doesn't mind a scrap or two, demanded a hearing.

"You have arrested me now," he said, "and I am going to see just wherein the charge against me lies. It may be that some enemy of mine furnished the information to the government and if so I want to know who he is."

Commissioner Gray then said he would proceed with the examination at once. District Attorney William Morsey represented the government.

"I will hear the evidence," said the commissioner, rapping for order.

"There is none, replied the District Attorney, "save that of the defendant. I desire to state that Capt. Grimes was arrested under a misapprehension, and I recommend that he be discharged."

"Very well," remarked the commissioner in apparent astonishment.

"The defendant is released."

Deputy Collector Blow looked sheepish. He was acting, he said, in instructions from Collector Grenner. Both Mr. Grenner and his chief clerk, Mr. Cantley, were too busy to discuss the case.

"I'll see you in a minute," said Cantley and then disappeared.

Capt. Ab Grimes is 56 years old and one of the best known sporting men in the West. He is a born fighter and the proceedings against him Friday may have a more serious result.

"I consider that my arrest was an outrage," said Grimes, "because there was not a shadow of evidence against me. I have been selling beer at this club for years and it makes my blood boil to think the authorities would cause my arrest without first investigating the complaint or at least verifying the truth of it from some reliable source."

"The warrant for Grimes," said Attorney Morsey, "was issued at the instance of the Internal Revenue Department. Some one, I understand, reported to the Collector that Grimes was selling beer without a license. Investigation developed that Grimes' name was on the license book. His connection with the fishing club was of course not known."

AGAIN SEEKS THE BENCH.

Former Supreme Judge the Choice of Nebraska Republicans.

OMAHA, Neb., Sept. 22.—The Republican State Convention yesterday nominated M. B. Reese of Lincoln for Supreme Judge and E. C. Gilton of Omaha and William B. Ely of Ainsworth for regents of the State University. Judge Reese has served six years on the Supreme bench, retiring six years ago to resume the practice of his profession.

An Immense Assemblage of Ladies Agree the Globe, Seventh and Franklin avenue, is the place to buy those elegant boys' suits for $2.95 and $3.95, actually worth $5

GILMORE AND HIS MEN

AUTHENTIC INFORMATION THAT THEY FARE BADLY.

LETTER FROM NAVAL OFFICER.

He Interviewed a Spaniard Who Had Talked With the Imprisoned Americans.

BOSTON, Mass., Sept. 22.—A naval officer on one of the ships at Cavite says in a private letter written to relatives here, under date of August 19:

"I to-day made a trip to Manila purposely to see and interview a Spaniard who claims to have seen Lieut. Gilmore and his men. The Spaniard arrived in Manila on the 12th, coming through the outposts at San Fernando de la Pampanga. His name is Felipa Galza and he is a planter by occupation. On the first of February last he was on his plantation when he was surrounded by a deputation of natives who made him a prisoner. He was forced to follow the movements made by the so-called Filipino Government and tramp through mud and water and over mountains in their wanderings. Two weeks before the arrival at Manila he saw at Bigan Lieut. Commander Gilmore and and his fourteen fellow prisoners. From his report it is judged that they have fared badly at the hands of their captors and, although their courage was undaunted, they were in bad shape physically, in reality being half starved.

"Gilmore himself said he was in better health than some of the others, being a man of strong physique and strong determination. The whole party was entirely destitute of clothes and all the necessities of life. The failure of the United States to ransom them as expected had so enraged the insurgents that their treatment, which for some time had been kind, had since become the reverse. The members of the party, however, were not discouraged, and fully expected to return to their friends.

"Galza thought that with proper measures employed by the United States Government there would be no trouble in effecting the speedy release of Gilmore and the Yorktown's men."

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NEW NORMAL IS DEDICATED.

Many Noted Speakers at the Opening of the Sycamore School.

SYCAMORE, Ill., Sept. 22.—Dedicatory exercises of the Northern Illinois Normal, which began yesterday, will continue for three days. Miss Jessie E. Ellwood Ray, daughter of Col. L. L. Ellwood, was last night crowned queen of the dedicatory carnival. The speakers to-day were Gov. John Tanner, ex-Gov. Altgeld, United States Senator William E. Mason, Senator O. P. Berry, Dr. Andrew S. Draper of Illinois University, Dr. E. Benjamin Andrews of the Chicago schools, Hon. Shelby M. Cullom, Prof. Orville T. Bright, Speaker Sherman, Dr. John W. Cook, besides representatives from educational institutions the State over.

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SPORTS OF THE DAY

ABOUT THE DIAMOND.

INTERESTING NEWS OF BASE-BALL AND ITS PROSPECTS.

CAPT. TEBEAU IS HOPEFUL.

Thinks St. Louis Should Take Two More Games From the Coming Champions.

How They Stand.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Brooklyn	89	40	.690
Philadelphia	84	49	.632
Boston	81	51	.615
Baltimore	78	53	.595
St. Louis	77	59	.566
Cincinnati	74	61	.549
Chicago	68	64	.516
Louisville	65	70	.481
Pittsburg	63	71	.470
New York	54	76	.415
Washington	49	85	.367
Cleveland	20	122	.141

Thursday's Games.

Baltimore 5, Cleveland 4.
Baltimore 4, Cleveland 1.
Louisville 4, Washington 3.
Louisville 6, Washington 4.

Where They Play.

St. Louis at Brooklyn—two games.
Chicago at Boston—two games.
Pittsburg at New York—two games.
Cincinnati at Philadelphia.
Cleveland at Baltimore.
Louisville at Washington.

St. Louis did not play in Brooklyn Thursday because it rained the night before and made Washington Park look like a sea of mud. The members of the team did no work at all and took the day off for a rest. Several of them went to the Gravesend race track and saw the Ocean View Handicap. The others spent the day lounging about their hotels or the various sporting clubs that are thrown open to visiting players. All are better for their day's rest and should give a good account of themselves Friday in the regularly scheduled double-header. "Cy" Young and Jack Powell will do the twirling. Each has had a long rest and should prove a mystery to the Superbas, who are badly crippled now, and are minus two of their most timely hitters.

"I will not be satisfied with less than two games to-day," said Capt. Tebeau Friday morning. "My men are in prime condition and have been putting up the fastest game of the season recently. Their rest yesterday has put them on their metal, and I shall expect them to give the Superbas two drubbings this afternoon. I have just talked with Young and Powell and they say their arms never felt better. They should prove unhittable for Hanlon's weak stick aggregation. If I can take the two games to-day from Brooklyn I will be satisfied with the season's showing. To beat them three straight on their own ground, when they look like sure pennant winners, will be ample revenge for all they have done to us this year."

The annual fall meeting of the Western League magnates will be held at the Great Northern Hotel in Chicago, Oct. 11. Only routine business will come up for its consideration if the present programme is adhered to. But it will be different if some of the members can have their way. There are a few of the magnates who, it is said, have tired of the methods of the National League in drafting their players for its benefit whenever and wherever it chooses. They favor a revolt if the big circuit will not make some changes in the drafting rule. It isn't likely that a majority of the club owners will favor a revolt, but enough, it is said, will declare for it to arouse some anxiety in the National League ranks. The big fellows need the Western's support just now in their fight against the new league and anything that indicates that they may lose it alarms them. They realize that the Western cannot be an independent organization very long, and fear that if it should sever its fealty to them it would cast its fortunes with the new movement. The result of such a combination would be very injurious to their interests. They stand ready to make any sacrifice to prevent such a coalition, and if the Western League insists they will make any revision in the drafting rule desired.

President Ban Johnson has given out the Western's reservation lists for next season. They are as follows:

Indianapolis—Reserved: Joe Gear, W. W. Sanders, Pat Foley, M. H. Hawley, W. A. Kellman, E. Foreman, A. E. Haydon, Ed Lynch, F. H. Motz, Abe Stewart, Ed Hickey, W. H. McFarland, F. Hartzel, G. Hogriever, G. A. Flynn, Debbs R. Woods, Seybolt. Claimed: R. G. Allen, William Dummon, Pitcher Newman, Pitcher Seeds, E. A. Chambers, Champ Onsteen.

Grand Rapids—Reserved: G. Tebeau, L. Bierbauer, John White, Charles Buelow, F. Genins, O. D. Pickering, R. Buckley, F. McCauley, Charles Jones, G. Cross, D. Risley, Roony Viox, Fred Barnes, Charles McDonald. Claimed: "Rip" Egan, L. E. Miller, Pitchers Blewett, Olephant, Hanford, Amole, Wiggins, Artie Ball.

Kansas City—Reserved: Frank Conbaughton, J. Rothfuss, William Clymer, William Halligan, J. Ganzel, J. Burns, William Hulen, William Coughlin, J. Gondling, D. D. Gear, E. Striklitt, A. Pardee, Charles Patten, Henry Schmidt. Claimed: Pitchers Wicker, Miller, Miner, Sparger, William Wilson, Infielder Burns, Pitchers Let Davis, Milligan, Catcher Lohman.

Minneapolis—Reserved: W. G. Nance, J. A. Andrews, W. Willmot, W. Preston, Geo. Carey, P. Werden, Abbattichio, George Smith, Catcher Dixon, N. Fisher, John Menefee, D. Friend, W. Hutchinson, J. Wiggs, Bandelin, H. P. Parker, McCan, Schram, C. A. Rice. Claimed: P. Hastings, W. Clarke, W. Hart, F. Hartman, F. Kallen, "Bug" Holliday.

Milwaukee—Reserved: G. Speer, G. Rettger, W. Reidy, B. Husting, C. Cheel, R. Stafford, C. Atherton, W. Gray, E. Waldron, W. Weaver, G. Nikol, W. Congolton, H. Smith, J. Burke. Claimed: Dusty Miller, William Clark, M. Adkins, Ed Holly, Melville Smith, J. Haney, P. Joss, W. Wiegand, Morrissey (Manistee), Catcher Klinow, G. Wheeler, C. Yeager.

St. Paul—Reserved: H. Spies, R. Denzer, W. McGill, Roy Patterson, C. B. Fisher, H. Fricken, J. Katoll, F. Isabel, Frank Shugart, D. Lally, P. Geier, Ed Burke, Frederick Houtz. Claimed: H. Vaughn, P. Hilderbrand, F. Shepherd, J. Stenzel.

Buffalo—Reserved: W. Diggins, J. Nelson, Dan Daub, C. Baker, A. Kerns, William Hallman, J. Gary, J. Crooks, E. Hall, R. Schaub, H. Knoll, J. Shearon, E. Fertsch, Flood of Fort Wayne.

Detroit—Reserved: F. Buelow, G. T. Stallings, P. Dillard, T. Thomas, S. M. Dungan, H. E. Slater, J. Cronin, J. B. Ryan, W. Egan, A. Shaw, W. T. Gaston, Roscoe Miller, Mansfield, O. Claimed: Ed Lewee, A. T. Gallagher, F. Brady, P. Minor, S. S. Cockmon, Second Baseman McCall of Traverse City, Clinton Stevens, C. F. Watkins, William Rhines, F. Hemphill, Pit Selvers, Ed Wheeler.

The Eastern League has reserved the following players:

Montreal—F. Jacklitser, P. J. Moran, H. Souders, H. Felix, D. W. Abbey, Al Johnston, E. Henry, F. Shelbeck, T. Bannon, F. W. Odwell, J. C. Richter, G. L. Winters, J. M. Shearon.

Toronto—W. Taylor, J. G. Smith; A. E. Wagner, F. Roat, B. Beaumont, R. C. Grey, J. Hannivan, J. Bannon, W. N. Williams, J. Suttlhoff, A. Alloway, C. Best, H. Bemis, A. Rothfuss.

Rochester—William Smink, S. Bowen, C. Morse, R. Becker, J. Beam, J. Burke, C. Barclay, W. L. Lush, C. C. Camnau, E. Householder, H. O'Hagan, G. H. Smith.

Worcester—F. Klobedanz, E. E. Horton, R. D. Miller, H. J. Lamne, C. C. Carr, J. O'Neil, C. Klopf, J. Rickert, J. Sharnott, P. Boyle, C. Ladd, W. E. Bransfield.

Hartford—T. Turner, W. Massey, C. Smith, G. Hodson, T. S. Echrist, L. Lippert, F. Eustace, W. Urquhart, C. Esper, P. Knell, William Shindle, F. Gatins, M. Kilroy.

Syracuse—J. W. Keenan, J. O'Neill, H. W. Lynch, George Wrigley, Gus Dundon, J. Bishop, G. Pfannmiller, D. Colhoun, A. Shannon, W. H. Hargrove, M. Steelman, T. C. Griffin, Joe Dolan.

Springfield—E. J. Phelps, Joe Gunson, J. Pappalau, K. Baker, M. McDermott, G. Hemming, W. J. Curtiger, E. Chanlon, Bert Myers, T. Campbell, H. Dolan, E. A. Creamer, H. Gleason.

Providence—W. J. Murray, M. H. Davis, P. F. Cassidy, W. R. Clancy, C. Nyce, T. Leahy, F. Lamar, B. Evans, W. Braun, F. J. Corridon, E. Dunkle, J. A. Walters, T. J. Donovan.

The Louisville Club is not taking its exile seriously. It is playing as hard and with as much spirit as if it expected a rousing reception from enthusiastic fans upon its return home. The fact that it does not seem is not disturbing the serenity of its thoughts one whit. It goes on playing and winning with astonishing regularity. It is doing much better by Louisville than Louisville did by it. Its playing is a revelation. A prophecy at the beginning of the season that it had any chance of beating Chicago out in the race would have sounded insane. But it is crowding the Orphans close now, nevertheless, and is winning much more consistently. If Chicago doesn't take a brace immediately it will have the humiliating experience of finishing in the rear of the despised Colonels.

President Young has awarded Wrigley, the Syracuse star, to New York. Wrigley signed a contract with New York and then went to Brooklyn, when the latter team purchased his release from Syracuse. As Wrigley was still under contract to Syracuse when he was sold to Brooklyn, it seems that the sale will supersede the contract he made with New York and that Brooklyn is entitled to him.

Baltimore used two pitchers and eleven innings in defeating the Exiles Thursday in the first game. Knepper, who will be with St. Louis next year, pitched the game. Harper, another prospective St. Louis pitcher, twirled the second game for the Exiles. The Orioles hit him only six times safely, but he gave two bases on balls at untimely stages of the game and lost. Both Knepper and Harper are promising youngsters, and will be heard from next season when they get a reliable club behind them.

WEATHER WAS FINE.

Cincinnati Tennis Players Warmed Up to Good Work.

The weather at Cincinnati was fine Thursday and the attendance at the great tennis tournament was large. The sun warmed the players up and the best work of the week was seen.

Following are the results of the day's playing:

Ladies' singles—Miss Atkinson of Brooklyn, beat Miss Banks of Philadelphia, 6–3, 6–4.

Ladies' doubles—Misses Atkinson and McAteer beat Misses Closterman and Doherty, 6–1, 6–2, 6–3.

Gentlemen's singles—Earnest Diehl beat Burton Hollister, 8–6, 6–4; Dudley Sutphin beat Kohn Hammond, 6–4, 7–5; T. R. Hardy beat A. L. Robinson, 6–3, 6–4; G. Vaughan beat Jose Eaton, 7–5, 6–8, 6–3; Robert Mitchell beat Joseph Eaton, 7–5, 7–5.

Gentlemen's doubles—Halsey and Turner beat Mitchell and Sutphin, 6–2, 6–4; Hardy and Robinson beat Miller and Emerson, 6–3, 4–6, 8–6; Diehl and Kellogg beat Garrison and Finley, 6–4, 6–1; W. Hunt and G. Decamp beat K. J. Eaton and G. Vaughan, 6–2, 6–3.

Mixed doubles—Miss Banks and Mr. Hammond beat Miss Doherty and Mr. Folterkamp beat Miss Steever and Mr. Halsey, 6–8, 6–4; Miss Doherty and Mr. Hollister beat Miss Leamon and Mr. S. Smith, 8–6, 6–3.

Chestnuts Beat the Pines.

The West Chestnut Stars defeated the West Pines Thursday at football by a score of 6 to 5. The features of the game were the end runs of T. Rowe and the quick headwork of Capt. Beck at quarter. The teams presented the following line-up:

Stars.	Positions.	Pines.
Holland	Center	Coombs
H. Ryan	Left guard	Baxter
Brown	Left tackle	Schoppe
H. Rowe	Left end	Blackmer
C. Ryan	Right guard	Miltenberger
Opp	Right tackle	Riley
Bruggeman	Right end	Gamble
Burk	Quarter	Baker
T. Rowe	Left half	Saylor
Peuliott	Right half	Cuming
Remington	Full back	Rogers

Spaldings Have a Game.

The Spauldings will go to Staunton, Ill., Sunday to play the team of that place for the championship of Illinois. As Staunton has defeated every team from St. Louis and neighboring towns except the Spauldings, this game will be very exciting. It will end the season of the Spauldings, who claim the amateur championship of St. Louis. Staunton will have their crack pitcher, Jackson, on the rubber, and either Cohn or Hogan will twirl for the Spauldings. The game last Sunday between the Globe-Democrats and Spauldings was called at the end of the fourth inning. The Spauldings were leading, 3 to 1.

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THE RACING WORLD.

GOSSIP OF INTEREST CONCERNING HORSES AND HORSEMEN.

AMERICAN TURF CONGRESS.

It Transacts Little Important Business at Its Chicago Meeting—Col. Aull Presides.

A discussion of racing rules occupied the attention of the delegates to the American Turf Congress meeting at the Wellington Hotel in Chicago Thursday. Many important changes were made. Rule 18, in which any person or horse ruled off the tracks by a running association for fraud was also ruled off the tracks of the American Turf Association was amended to read as follow:

"Every person or horse expelled or ruled off by an reputable running association, or by the American or National Trotting Association, shall stand ruled off the courses of the members of this congress during the continuance of such expulsion. Any association that shall knowingly allow any ruled off person or horse to participate in its racing shall be outlawed."

Another rule adopted by the congress was that no person against whom there are arrears shall be granted a license as a trainer or jockey.

A rule was adopted by the congress that hereafter no employer shall get the money won by any jockey bound to him by contract who shall win riding outside mounts.

Much time was devoted to the troubles existing between the racing clubs of California. The California Jockey Club, Pacific Coast Jockey Club and the Western Turf Association have been unable to agree on dates for holding their races. The congress decided to allow the clubs to find a solution of the problem.

The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows:

President, W. F. Schulte, Louisville; vice-president, James Howard, Chicago; treasurer, O. L. Bradley, Lexington, Ky., E. C. Hopper, Covington, Ky.

A permanent office of the congress will be opened in Louisville, and the next meeting of the congress will be held in that city.

The meeting was very subdued and little of the important business scheduled to come up before it was considered. It skillfully evaded the question of shorter seasons and the regulation of dates on the Western tracks. It never really had any intention of considering that subject if it could be avoided. It was painful and would certainly have stirred up a pretty row without doing much good. Hence, the members of the association decided to let it rest in quietude and let a settlement go until a riper time. The Southern track owners declared before they went into the meeting that that question must be considered before all others. Something happened to make them change their minds. It was never considered, but they participated in the deliberations of the conference. Perhaps they saw they were making a losing fight and elected not to handicap their cause by defeat. Any way, they were content to let the subject rest. Outside of the amendment of the outlaw rule heavy above, the only other thing interesting to St. Louisans about the meeting was the fact that Col. Bob Aull was presiding officer. President S. S. Montgomery of Memphis was unable to attend, and the functions of his office fell upon Col. Aull, who is vice-president of the congress. The Lakeside Jockey Club of Roby, Ind., tried to break into the congress during the meeting, but admission was refused.

Winners at Gravesend Thursday: Isidor, Van Ship, O'Lea, Rush, Arbaes and Herbert.

Winners at Fort Erie Thursday: Lightning Express, Ida Fordham, Arquebus, Voliser, Acrobat and Aquinas.

Winners at Harlem Thursday: Myrtle Gebauer, Rollins, Ida Ledford, Blue Lick, Avenstoke and Pinar del Rio.

Tod Sloan didn't show in the English races Thursday. His only mount was Red Queen in the De Trafford handicap and she didn't find a place in the finish. Scrivener was the winner.

The Ocean View handicap at Gravesend didn't arouse more than ordinary interest Thursday. It was a good thing financially and when the stake was hung up, it was supposed that many of the horses in training throughout the country would break their necks to get to the entry box. But they didn't. The only two horses to apply were Rush and King Barleycorn. They are two fast ones, but Rush outclassed his rival and the two could stir up no excitement. The betting was slow, Rush standing at 7 to 10 and King Barleycorn at 6 to 5. The horses went up on a sloppy track which did not increase the interest. Rush got away in front and kept the place the whole distance, one and one-sixteenth miles. His last quarter was done in a gallop, while King Barleycorn finished under a hard drive. He got within a neck of Rush's tail but just as he did, the mark was crossed. Rush's jockey could have made it ten lengths if he had chosen.

The great Second Special will be run off at Gravesend Saturday and promises to be one of the most brilliant events of the fall racing season. Imp. Ben Holliday, May Hempstead and other good ones will be in the start and the contest will be exciting from start to finish. The distance is a mile and one-half. Great things are expected of Imp., the winner of the Suburban and the Brighton handicaps. She took her final try-out at Sheepshead Bay Thursday under the direction of Trainer Bossman. Pete Clay was in the saddle. The distance was reeled off in 2:11½. The mile was done in 1:43½, and the great mare showed well at every jump of the course. The track was in bad condition, too, which makes Imp.'s work all the more promising.

Thursday was get-away day at Fort Erie and the day was fine. But the track was heavy from the rain of the preceding night and the going was slow. The horses literally struggled through a sea of mud. The results were questions of starts and the horse that got away first had a good chance of leading the bunch to the end. Lightning Express in the first race was a notable exception. She got away last but overhauled the leader as sthough they were tied. With that, the best time she could go the six furlongs in was 1:27.

The Whitney and Keene thoroughbred studs are to be moved from Kentucky. The Messrs. Keene have nearly 300 fine horses at their stables in Cattleton, including the stallions Kingston, St. Leonards, Tournament, Horoscope and others, besides many of the finest brood mares in the country. These will all be loaded on a train in a few days and shipped to the old Withers farm near Red Bank, N. J., which the Keenes have purchased. Whitney has leased Stoney Ford, one of the most famous of Eastern stock farms, and will ship his string of 100 thoroughbreds there soon. At present his stables are located at Labelle and contain the $49,000 Meddlar, Lizzak, Plaudit and other famous stallions and mares, which have been collected during the past eight months regardless of cost.

TRYING NEW MAINSAILS.

Columbia and the Shamrock Try Different Canvas.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Sept. 22.—The Columbia and the Shamrock are each trying new mainsails and are doing better work and showing speedier form than they have shown before.

The White Lodge and the Eri King, two British steam pleasure yachts, have arrived with large parties to witness the race. They are the vanguard of a large fleet, members of which will arrive every day for the next week.

Madison Turf Exchange.

Trains leave foot of Olive street at 12:30, 1:00, 1:35, 2:00, 2:35, 2:55, 3:30.

WILL CHALLENGE THE WINNER.

Frankie Noel Will Ask for a Chance With the Victor.

Frankie Noel, the clever lightweight, who is well-known in St. Louis, where he has fought several good battle, is back in town from his Chicago trip. He is looking for a battle, and is prepared to challenge the winner of the boxing match at the West End Club Monday night. He will be at the ringside and will issue his challenge as soon as the winner of the bout is announced. Noel's cleverness is increasing every day. He met a Patterson, N. J., boxer by the name of O'Connor before the Fort Dearborn Athletic Club at Chicago the other day and knocked his man out in 40 seconds. Noel is looking well and declares that he is ready to go into the ring at a moment's notice.

Andy Mulligan, manager of the Louisville Athletic Club, was in St. Louis Friday. He is returning home from a summer trip to Denver. He has taken Paddy Maloney, the 126-pound champion of the Pacific coast, under his protecting wing, and is now seeking to match him to fight Ben Jordan, or any other good 126-pound man. He is also acting as Jack Steizner's agent, and is hunting a match for the St. Louis boy. Steizner is in Denver now, and Mulligan says he is in fine condition.

Denver, Colo., is going to have a great fistic carnival Sept. 25 to 29, while the great Colorado Conclave is on and everybody in the State is in the capital city. The bouts will take place before the Olympic and Colorado clubs, rival organizations, that are hustling to exceed each other in the effort to give their patrons their money's worth. Among the matches that will be brought off are the following: Joe Chcynski against Ed Dunkhurst, Mose Lafontise against Eugene Bezhena, "Mysterious" Billy Smith against Bob Douglass of St. Louis, Charley Goff against Paddy Purcell, Billy Otts against Jack Daly and "Australian" Billy Ryan against Tommy Ryan.

It is said pugilists will organize to fight the combination of managers which was made in New York Wednesday to cut purses. As prize fights do not depend for their success upon where they are held, the fighters should win out in a war.

Billy Ernest of Brooklyn will fight twenty-five rounds before the Greenwood Athletic Club in Brookly Saturday night with Spike Sullivan.

Kid McPartland and George Kirwan will box twenty rounds before the Louisville Athletic Club in October.

Jim McCormack and Kid McCoy will fight in New York October 27.

THE FOOTBALL PLAYERS.

What Some of Them Are Doing in the Early Season.

The football season will be opened in East St. Louis Saturday by a game between the East St. Louis Tigers and the High School. Both teams have been in practice and a good game is expected. The East St. Louis has the following good men: Frye, Watson, Moore, Schiele, Reinhardt, Cannady, Palmer, Sicking, Pesholl, Hanler and Wright. F. D. Moore is manager and Ben Reinhardt is captain.

Coach Martin Delaney has returned from the East and taken hold of the St. Louis University football team. There are many candidates for places. Only light work is being done now, but the heavy runs will begin next week. Many of last year's players have returned.

The Smith Academy football team is working every day at the Pastime Ground under the direction of Coach Akin.

Following are the candidates for the Harvard University eleven:

W. A. M. Burden, 205; W. A. Boal, 201; L. Warren, 174; W. D. Eaton, 205; C. D. Daly, 146; J. W. Hallowell, 165; E. W. Green, 196; E. C. Brayton, 181; J. H. Lee, 196; A. Sawin, 155; R. G. Oglesby, 153; J. L. Motley, 137; E. Lewis, 181; C. Sargent, 218; B. Z. Casson, 215; E. H. Kendall, Jr., 181; S. Ellis, 183; A. Devens, 161; E. Motley, 138; G. Noyes, 148; Bigelow, 156; M. C. Hawkins, 150; O. Blagen, 196; E. Putnam, 155; G. S. Parker, 157; B. Taylor, 148; H. M. Locke, 139; D. Barney, 177; R. H. Goodell, 166; P. A. Carroll, 201; Barnett, 184; A. H. Gilbert, 167; U. G. Butterfield, 156.

RESTING ON THEIR OARS.

New League Promoters Waiting For the New York Meeting.

The St. Louis promoters of the new baseball league are resting on their oars now. They say their hands are tied until after the meeting in New York, Oct. 20.

They claim to have done all the work of enlisting capital and laying plans for next season, and say that nothing remains to be done except the work of perfecting the formal organization. They are in no hurry to do that, as they prefer to wait until the permanent organization of the league itself will have been effected.

It is said that all the temporary officers will be made permanent, with the possible exception of President Quinn, who may be succeeded by Anson. It is pretty well settled that George Schaefer of this city will be permanent treasurer of the new organization.

All the St. Louis members of the league are back home, and give enthusiastic reports of the Chicago meeting. They say there is no possibility for the new movement to fail, and that, while it will not drive the National League out of business for some time, it will divide patronage with it.

The question of securing players is not bothering the new league men. They say there will be ten players for every position.

The National League magnates do not like the outlook. If they did not think the new movement would not be a strong rival to them they would not be trying so hard to discourage it. They are nervous and are making no effort to conceal the fact. They don't want the new league and are fighting it hard, which, by the way, is calculated to make the movement win.

Great stress has been laid upon the fact that the Western League refused to go into the new League conference. That is taken as an indication that a part of the expected resources of the movement failed at the last minute.

"That idea is foolish," says George Schaefer. "We never exected any support from the Western League. On the contrary, we have known all along that it would be hostile because it and the National League are the same institution."

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TRIED TO DO RIGHT,

TILLIE BEUME'S HEARTSTRINGS GOT TANGLED UP.

LOVE PULLED BOTH WAYS.

Having Disobeyed Her Father to Meet Her Lover She Took Poison and Expired.

Tillie Beume, aged 17, of 2111 Howard, tried hard to do right, but when she found herself in love with a young man, for whom she disobeyed her father, her heartstrings got all tangled up, and so she ended it all by committing suicide.

Before she took poison she wrote a letter to her associate, Molly Halpin, laying bare her secrets and making what excuse she could for her conduct. It was a pathetic little letter, childish and yet strong in its womanliness. This is what she wrote:

Sept. 19, '99.—Miss Mollie Halpin: I am very sorry I must say I won't see you for a long time now. I don't think I can with you because I don't come. Perhaps you will never see me again. I am going to get everything in order, and I am going to send for a dose of poison as soon as I get a chance. I am very sorry, but papa is always so down-hearted, and I never will mind him. When he tells me to come home in time I don't do it. He don't want me to go out I go any way. It just seems like I can't mind him.

He told me he would get married if I did not mind him. I'm getting so bad, and I'm afraid I will get worse instead of better. I used to be always at home. But that Sunday when N. O. B. and you and F. O. C. went out and me two copped those fellows is what started it. We always went out. If I hadn't met that fellow I never would be like I am now. I was always so shy.

Before that I was afraid to talk to a fellow, and just because those two fellows made up with us and I thought so much of him that I would not and could not 'stick him up.' I always ran over to the corner every time I was to meet him. And, of course, always went out with him, meeting some more. I know you don't know I went to meet him, because it rained so hard that evening, and so could not go out. I put a shawl around me, no matter how I looked, and out the alley and up to the corner I went and made another date with him. I could not go out again so out the alley I went again and spoke a few words to him, and home again. So I got tired of it.

Then Tillie took a dose of rough on rats. Her father found her unconscious when he reached home. Dr. Henke worked hard to save the girl, but in a few hours she was dead.

DOCTORS HAVE ORGANIZED.

Democrats Who Appeal for Needed Legislation.

The organization formed among the Democratic physicians and surgeons of the city under the auspices of the Jefferson Club will hold another meeting Saturday night at the club house on Olive street. Invitations have been extended to a large number of practitioners not only of known Democratic tendencies but to all who are thought to be in sympathy with the movement. The hour for assembling is 8 o'clock.

The purpose of the movement is to secure such legislation as will best protect the interests of medicine and command for it proper recognition in every department of the local, State and Federal Government.

The committee on constitution and by-laws, consisting of Drs. Henry J. Scherck and Robert M. Funkhouser, has been in correspondence with Eastern societies of a like character, notably the one in New York City, and has modeled its report on the lines suggested in these time-tried organizations. The report will be made on Saturday.

Return postal cards have been sent out profusely and already there is a membership of 150 in the club. Dr. S. C. Martin is president of the club, Dr. O. L. Suggett is secretary and Dr. Henry J. Scherck is treasurer.

Dewey's Reception.

Special reduced rate excursion to New York Sept. 26, 27, 28. To Washington and Baltimore Sept. 30 and Oct. 1, via Big Four Route. Through sleepers and dining cars. Get particulars at Ticket Office, Broadway and Chestnut street.

Negro Democrats Organize.

Twenty-five wards of the city were represented in a meeting of negro Democrats held at 1424 Morgan street. A central negro Democratic club was organized to be known as the Sam B. Cook Negro Democratic Club of Missouri. The officers elected are: C. C. Rankin, president; Joseph Harris, vice-president; W. H. Sanders, secretary.

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BUSY HUSBAND FORGOT HER

Mrs. Henderson Howell of Kansas in an Unpleasant Predicament at Union Station.

Mrs. Henderson Howell of Pittsburg, Kan., was placed in a very unpleasant position at the Union Station Thursday morning.

With her husband she arrived at the station on an early train, intending to go to Wellston, O., to visit some relatives. After placing his wife in the station, surrounded by her baggage, her husband said that he had to go downtown on some important business.

Mrs. Howell waited for him patiently, but he did not appear. The Baltimore & Ohio train on which they expected to depart went into the station and pulled out again, but still her husband did not return.

Mrs. Howell did not know what to do.

She called to one of the policemen, and giving him a description of her husband, asked him to look for him. The policeman, after searching the whole station, was unable to find her husband.

About an hour after the train had gone the husband returned to find his wife, but in the meantime she had grown more and more frightened and gone to look for him.

Mr. Howell, after searching the station for his wife, began a round of the hotels in the neighborhood and at last succeeded in locating her.

They were overjoyed to find each other, and excuses having been made they went away together on the next train.

GOVERNORS ENTERTAINED.

They Were the Guests of the World's Fair Committee.

Members of the anti-trust conference were entertained at the St. Louis Club Thursday evening by the World's Fair Executive Committee.

The guests were Govs. Sayers of Texas, Jones of Arkansas, McMillin of Tennessee and Stephens of Missouri; Attorneys-General of Arkansas, Smith of Texas, Crow of Missouri and C. G. Heffner, representing the Attorney-General of Washington; Congressman Bailey of Texas and State Senator R. A. Buckner of Arkansas.

They were taken to the club in carriages by ex-Gov. D. R. Francis, F. W. Lehman and James Cox. The St. Louisans present were ex-Gov. Francis, Mr. Lehman, ex-Gov. W. J. Stone, N. Chapman, Patrick Calhoun, Howard Elliott, C. H. Huttig, C. P. Walbridge, Alex N. de Menil, B. F. Yoakum, George D. Markham, Estill McHenry, Henry T. Kent, John Scullin and James Cox.

The guests promised to do everything in their power to aid the Fair.

Gov. Sayers and Gov. Jones will remain in St. Louis until Friday evening. Gov. McMillin and Gov. Pingree left the city Thursday night.

ROW AT A WARD MEETING.

E. H. Purdy Shot in the Head by Wm. H. Dobell.

William H. Dobell of 3923 Lincoln avenue shot E. H. Purdy of 1924 Bacon street at a meeting of the Twenty-sixth Ward Republican Club held on Warne avenue near Kennerly Thursday night. The wound is not dangerous.

The shooting was the result of a quarrel over Dobell's right to the floor in the meeting. Dobell is a member of the club, but recently moved out of the ward. The question of eligibility was settled by the club early in the meeting and Dobell was given all the privileges of a member.

When Dobell tried to get the floor later in the evening Purdy objected. Profanity and epithets were exchanged and Purdy started for Dobell. The latter drew a revolver and shot Purdy at close range. The bullet struck Purdy in the head and he dropped to the floor unconscious. Dobell ran out of the hall and was not arrested.

WILL HELP THE WORLD'S FAIR.

Real Estate Exchange Directors Tender Their Services.

The Board of Directors of the St. Louis Real Estate Exchange has offered the World's Fair Committee its services in promoting the big exposition.

At Thursday's meeting the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The St. Louis Real Estate Exchange was the first business organization to indorse the movement to celebrate the Centenial of the Louisana Purchase by a World's Fair in St. Louis in the year 1903, and,

Whereas, The prompt closing of the subscription books and the commencement of active preparations for the fair would have an immediate and lasting effect of the most beneficial character to the realty market of St. Louis; be it

Resolved, That the Board of Directors of the St. Louis Real Estate Exchange calls upon every member of the exchange to urge upon all who own or are in any way interested in real estate, the importance from a business as well as a loyal standpoint, of subscribing to the fund, or where possible, of increasing subscriptions already made; and be it further

Resolved, That the Real Estate Exchange hereby tenders to the executive and finance committees of the Fair its services to assist in the completion of the fund and pledges the active cooperation of its entire membership to that end.

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ST. LOUIS AND THE MUNICIPAL LEAGUE.

At the meeting of the League of Municipalities, St. Louis officials are conspicuous by their absence. This is a most curious, even interesting fact.

The League cannot rise to the highest heights of usefulness without the co-operation of St. Louis officials. From them can be learned the best methods of managing municipalities as they ought not to be managed. The delegates could study the best by contrast with the worst. They could see how public business can be most skillfully transacted to the end that the least public benefit and the most private profit may be obtained.

To St. Louisans the failure of their officials to attend this meeting is especially painful because it is likely to give rise to a mistaken impression. It will lead students of practical municipal problems to believe that our public servants do not take any interest in public affairs. Nothing could be further from the truth. They are superlatively zealous. Interest is at fever heat whenever a franchise is asked for or a contract is to be let or offices to be distributed. These, as everybody knows, constitute the largest part of public business and our politicians rest not day and night, in their resolute determination to let nothing valuable get away which might be turned into private pockets.

St. Louis ought to be represented at the League meeting. If the guardians at the City Hall do not go because they cannot spare the time required by their arduous duties, the next meeting should be held in this city. In this way our experience might be contributed to the common fund of municipal wisdom without endangering any of the private interests which are the special care of public servants.

Mr. Hanna's assertion that the trusts are natural and beneficial is true. It is always natural for greed to assert itself, and greed is benefited by monopolizing combinations.

THE GUERIN SIEGE.

While joining in the universal laughter that has marked the siege and capitulation of Jules Guerin in Paris, it may be well to ask if there is not another aspect of this spectacular event.

Is it not a sign that the world is advancing in humanity, that this man and his friends have been allowed to defy a national Government for six weeks, and that this defiance has been brought to an end without a drop of blood being shed?

But for the regard for human life that has gradually replaced the old, brutal habits of thought, Guerin's house would have been wrecked weeks ago and he and his companions would have gone down in a welter of blood and fire.

It is much better that the world has had cause for laughter alone in this matter. We should take it as a good omen.

Zola desires to see a procession of handcuffed generals led to prison. It would be mild punishment for the wrong they have done an innocent man.

THE OHIO CANVASS.

The Cleveland correspondent of the Post-Dispatch calls attention to the fact that in 1896 McKinley did not carry the rural districts of Ohio. His plurality over Bryan was 47,497, which was a disappointment to his supporters.

As compared with the vote for President in 1892 the Republicans gained 120,704 votes, while the Democrats gained 173,379.

Although the State has been claimed by the Republicans with considerable confidence, these figures indicate a tendency to shift and change which makes all forecasting impossible.

As between Hanna and McLean there may be little to choose, but Hanna represents the administration, and participates in McKinley's strength or weakness. Hanna's man, Nash, carries the burden of the President's errors and gets the benefit of his successes, as they are measured by the voters of Ohio. McLean represents mere opposition. The campaign, to him, is "a matter of finance," as it is to Hanna. Money will weigh heavily on both sides, but nobody can say who will spend the most. The real interest lies in the question—what do the Ohio voters think of McKinley trusts, McKinley imperialism, McKinley spoilsism? Money being equal, these will decide the Ohio election.

But there is another element, an unknown quantity, an X, the value of which no can can calculate—Jones. Just now he is no bigger than a man's hand on the political horizon, but he is big enough to throw doubt upon every estimate. There is no reason to suppose that he will draw more from the Democrats than from the Republicans. He is not much thought of by politicians, but politicians are often woefully mistaken.

The power of the railroad pass is being exerted to its fullest extent in Kentucky. The result of the election may show how much of a power it is.

OUR TIME OF JOY.

The English have their Harvest Home festivals, but no other nations make a point of turning the fall into a long season of jollity as we do.

All over the land street fairs in the country and fall festivities in the cities are engaging the attention of old and young. Soldiers' reunions and other pleasant meetings add to the general hilarity.

This year will be especially blessed in its fall fun making by the home-coming of Dewey. That event alone will make a festival the like of which the country has never seen. Through the Post-Dispatch's great notification circuit it will begin promptly on time, across the 3000 miles of mountain, plain and forest.

But in our celebration it is well to be careful. Dewey did all the damage that was necessary to be done. Let us confine ourselves to shooting holes in the atmosphere and other harmless amusements.

There is no good reason why street railways should not accept pennies for fare. The penny is a desirable addition to the coin circulation. It is, in fact, a necessity.

CONSTITUTION VERSUS TROLLEY.

Corea has adopted a written constitution. It is a one-man document. The Emperor is the one man, and all the rest of the people are ignored. The Government, being theoretically an absolute monarchy, His High Mightiness, the Emperor, has all the rights and prerogatives of which the constitution takes any note.

But there is something new in Corea besides the constitution. It is an American trolley line. And it was very foolish of the writers of the Corean constitution to make no provisions with that in view.

An American trolley line in robust health is likely to have more lasting effect on the Kingdom of Corea than a nine-articled constitution formulated by a lot of antiquated gentlemen in flowing silk gowns and sugar-loaf hats.

Already this trolley line has worked a few wonders. It has taken the country at one bound out of veiled sedan chairs into electric cars. It has brought the Corean women into public life by obtaining Government leave for them to ride with men in the new vehicles. It has overcome the native superstition and is no longer looked upon as a "devil car."

But back of the trolley line is an American syndicate, and American syndicates have an insidious way of getting to own "hermit" or other little kingdoms in which they are allowed to erect poles and wires.

The trolley line did not really need to be mentioned in the new Corean constitution. It has its own by-laws and treasury. And it will "get there" after a short period, when the despot-worshiping constitution is a very dead letter.

Montana falls into line for the World's Fair. Gov. Smith, in his letter published in yesterday's Post-Dispatch, enthusiastically indorses the project in behalf of his State, taking the high ground of common interest. There is nothing halting or half-hearted in the Governor's words. He is emphatic in his opinion. Voicing the will of the great Northwestern State he condenses the whole argument in a few terse sentences. "Nothing," he says, "would better demonstrate the progress of the century than an exposition commemorative of the Louisiana purchase. The commerce, agriculture and manufactures of this country would fitly demonstrate the wonderful resources of the country that 100 years ago was unknown and occupied solely by savages." These are words of practical patriotism. Nothing could be clearer or more encouraging. The West is united in support of the Fair, the East stands ready to co-operate. The whole country is at one. It now rests with Missouri and St. Louis to push the project to a happy conclusion. The responsibility is ours.

THE ANTI-TRUST CONFERENCE REPORT.

As a tentative proposal or suggestion for legislative action, the report of the Resolutions Committee of the anti-trust conference is clear and sound. It makes a beginning. Experience will develop the weak points and indicate desirable improvements.

Among the specific recommendations are the following:

A system of reports to, and examination by, State officials, to the end that all corporate action may be known by the people, checked and regulated by the State Governments.

Legislation placing foreign corporations under the control of the State so that corporations chartered in another State shall have no advantage over domestic corporations.

Legislation declaring that a corporation created in one State, to do business exclusively in other States, shall be prohibited from admission into any State.

That no corporation shall own or hold stock in another corporation engaged in similar or competitive business.

That shareholders be made liable to the extent of twice the face value of their stock whenever over-capitalization is proven. In other words, a penalty is attached to stock watering.

The essence of this report consists of the recommendation of publicity and practical prohibition of inflated capital. If these provisions are placed in the law, honestly enforced, and sustained by the courts, the question will be considerably simplified, and the public enabled to get a better understanding of the actual working and power of organized monopoly.

In his Palmyra speech Congressman Camp Clark came out strongly in favor of nominations by primaries in 1900. This method of choosing candidates, he remarks, "brings the nominations close to the people, and the people can always be trusted implicitly to do what is right. The closer we stay to them, the better off will we be." The argument is here in a nutshell. Confidence in the people is never misplaced; which cannot be said of most nominating conventions.

The Illinois Steel Co. is making so much money that it will have to pay $1,200,000 more taxes than it expected, in spite of the efforts of several of the ablest lawyers to prevent the assessment. The increased assessment scheme in Chicago is working beautifully, and the smaller taxpayers will be greatly relieved if the additional taxes collected are not to be wasted.

What will Massachusetts say to the charge that her Secretary Long tried to prevent Dewey from taking command of the Asiatic squadron? It has been supposed in Massachusetts that Secretary Long was "the whole thing" in the war with Spain.

Gov. Stephens was not mistaken in speaking of the Courageous Executive and courageous legislators who passed the trust laws of Missouri. It took a great deal of courage to pass a law creating a $90,000,000 trust in Missouri.

It is said that the electric conduits are half full of slime and filth, because the companies cannot agree to share the cost of cleaning them. If they were owned and operated by the city, there could be no such excuse.

If Prof. Cleveland fills his own chair of political science at Princeton, he need not fear the fate of certain "profs" who have filled chairs in which free speaking was not agreeable to the founders.

Some of the "sapient sons of sainted sires" referred to by Gov. Stephens are too worldly wise. They are sapient enough to see a good thing in the creation of a $90,000,000 street railway trust.

There has been a slump in flour trust stock. The slumping of trust stocks is no unwelcome news while so little is being done against combinations by the enforcement of anti-trust laws.

The sooner Western railroads are compelled to adopt the block system, the better. The safety of human life ought not to depend on the accuracy of a railroad man's watch.

The dividend of 93 per cent earned by the Crown Cotton Mills in Georgia caps the climax of Southern industrial prosperity.

POST-DISPATCH SNAP SHOTS.

The beef trust feels that it has a right to bull prices.

The burghers are going into lager and it is possible that considerable lager will go into the burghers.

The strap passenger appears to be absorbed in thought. Perhaps he is thinking of street railway dividends.

Gov. Tanner and Bricklayer McKinley would both be better workingmen, perhaps, if they were out of politics.

The pig iron makers are charged with heavy extortions in their increased prices. In the pig iron business there has always been a tendency to hogging.

Uncle Sam is pulling the leg of many a dead man who leaves a large fortune; but Uncle Sam's own leg is being pulled every day by the War Department.

Seven presses at the Philadelphia mint are busy in making nickels. The demand is such that the counterfeiters may renew their efforts to aid the Government in increasing the supply.

"There is something radically wrong in the relations existing between housekeepers and domestic servants," says the Chicago Times-Herald. Undoubtedly. Housekeepers and domestic servants are both feminine to a great extent.

Mark Twain will winter in London instead of staying in Princeton. It is to be hoped that Mr. Clemens is not going to follow the example of that other wealthy American, Mr. William Waldorf Astor, and become a British subject.

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

G. M.—West is the taller.

SUBSCRIBER.—Milton H. Hall is an American.

L. B.—There is no premium on a 3-cent piece of 1853.

J. G.—Mathews and Bulger have not played at Havlin's during the past two years.

KATHERINE JONES.—Write to a dramatic paper or to Chicago vaudeville agency.

INQUIRER.—We cannot say what your foreign coins are worth. It depends upon condition.

E. P. K.—Recruits for army must be citizens or must have declared their intention of becoming citizens.

JOPLIN.—The Wabash and Missouri Pacific use rails 75 pounds to the foot and nearly all roads use either 75 or 80 pounds.

DELEGATE.—The Wholesale Druggists' Association will meet at Niagara Falls Oct. 10-13. Rates have not yet been secured.

FOR THE WORLD'S FAIR.

The Press of the Entire Country Is Outspoken in Favor of an Unsurpassed Exposition.

Most Elaborate Ever Given.

From the St. Joseph (Mo.) Herald.

It is not much to prophesy that the World's Fair to be given in St. Louis in 1903 will be the most elaborate exposition ever held in the world. It is not in vain to say this, because while the World's Fair of 1893 was a great thing, in the 10 years that will have elapsed great progress will have been made by the world. Therefore all that has been developed in the sciences, in mechanics, in agriculture, will be illustrated there. Aside from the consideration of the advantage of ample time, St. Louis lies in such a situation that all North America will find it easy of access. The entire region covered by the Louisiana purchase is of one accord in regard to the exposition and other States are showing their sympathy and proffering their help. Former Gov. Francis put it in a recent interview, "The only difference in the sentiment now and that which prevailed at the time the Fair was decided upon, is that now interest is national instead of local."

Two good efforts of St. Louis, which has shown such a commendable start, will secure for it the stable support of every State and city of the Union in setting before the world four years hence an exposition that cannot be excelled by any nation of the world.

Colorado Indorses It.

From the Denver (Colo.) Republican.

Gov. Thomas has indorsed the St. Louis exposition, to be given in 1903, to commemorate the Louisiana Purchase centennial. The Governor's indorsement was sent to the St. Louis Post-Dispatch in response to its request. The paper, in commenting on the letter, pays a glowing tribute to Colorado and to the people, and "their energy and indomitable spirit," and adds that "the State is richer and more prosperous than it ever was."

St. Louis Guarantees Success.

From the Cairo, Ill., Argus.

The World's Fair of 1903 will be held at St. Louis in celebration of the centennial of the Louisiana Purchase. The leading business men of that city have taken hold of the project in a manner that insures its success, especially as they have the hearty support of all business classes, each contributing to the enterprise in proportion to scope and means. Such unity in support of any enterprise by St. Louis guarantees its success.

That city has led in sectional and local fairs and expositions for a half a century. In the line of fairs strictly, its annual Mississippi Valley Fair has never been equaled in the United States, and its Exposition of more recent origin has never been surpassed except by so-called international expositions. St. Louis has the fair genius and experience, and with sufficient means to carry out her plans will surpass Chicago's White City and all previous world's fairs.

The various states, particularly those of the Mississippi Valley, can be depended upon to contribute largely towards building up the distinct fair city, that which remains to be built, to embrace the great exposition only and its needed appurtenances. They will do this to accommodate their own exhibitors, if from no other motive, and there will be rivalry between them in the matter of erecting fine and attractive buildings. And precedent warrants the conclusion that the general government will be a liberal contributor.

St. Louis, of all the cities on the continent, is the last that can be discriminated against in such a matter. That city commands the highest respect, by reason of her age, history, stability, steady growth and dignity, of all other American cities, and must have the good will of all of them in her grand World's Fair project. The great city of the lakes, the metropolis of Illinois and the Northwest, cannot do otherwise than join Southern Illinois in wishing St. Louis much success in the fair enterprise. The badinage indulged in at each other's expense will not interfere with the cordial relations that should and will exist between the two great cities over the World's Fair of '03. If nothing else prompted such relations, Chicago will see that the proposed fair will be of immense benefit to her indirectly, as the tide of travel to it will, to a large extent, be through her gateways, while those coming from other directions will not consider their outing complete until they have visited the great lakes and the lake metropolis, which is a world's fair in itself.

Illinois should be as much interested in the St. Louis World's Fair project as Missouri, as her territory is as nearly contiguous to that city. As to this part of the State, its people view St. Louis as a Southern Illinois city.

Missouri Cities Will Do Their Part.

From the Springfield (Mo.) Republican.

After the great World's Fair of 1903 the many growing cities and towns of Missouri will be much better known, famous as they have already become. St. Joseph, Kansas City, Springfield, Sedalia and the other progressive communities of the State are all increasing the business and population.—Post-Dispatch. Springfield will do her part toward pushing the World's Fair along and will then go to see it after it has been pushed along to success.

Site Is Well Chosen.

From the Baltimore (Md.) Herald.

It will strike the average person as somewhat incongruous that St. Louis should be preparing to celebrate, four years hence, the centennial of the Louisiana Purchase with an elaborate exposition. At first thought it seems more fitting to locate such an undertaking at New Orleans, as the metropolis of the State of Louisiana and the chief city of the South.

But the selection of the site is, nevertheless, highly appropriate, for it must be remembered that by the Louisiana Purchase a section extending from the Gulf of Mexico to the forty-ninth parallel of latitude, our Northwestern boundary, and from the Mississippi River to the Pacific Ocean, was transferred from France to the United States. Whereas the old French province covered only the width of the present State of Louisiana on the Gulf, it spread over two-thirds of the Continent in the North, embracing in its area not less than thirteen States, parts of several other States, and sections or whole of territories. St. Louis, consequently, lies far nearer to the geographical center of the Louisiana Purchase than New Orleans, and may claim the honor of getting the projected exposition as a natural right.

The enterprise is being mapped out on a most ambitious scale. Both the Chicago and the Philadelphia expositions are to be exceeded in magnitude. This may excite a smile of incredulity, but the people of the Western town are already hard at work on the preliminaries, and express the utmost confidence in their ability to carry out the idea in its fullest scope.

Those who have had an opportunity to acquaint themselves with the spirit of progressiveness and of energy manifest in St. Louis will not doubt the ability of the inhabitants to realize expectations.

Will Show Ten Years of Progress.

From the Brookfield (Mo.) Argus.

It is not too much to prophesy that the World's Fair to be given in St. Louis in 1903 will be the most elaborate exposition ever held in the world. It is not in vain to say this, because while the World's Fair of 1893 was a great thing, in the 10 years that will have elapsed great progress will have been made by the world.

A Good Thing for Arkansas.

From the Little Rock (Ark.) Gazette.

The St. Louis Exposition is of much importance to the people of this country. It is a good thing for Arkansas and the State should be well represented there.

HARRIET HUBBARD AYER

Tells Post-Dispatch Lady Readers How Absolute Rest Aids Beauty.

Written for the Post-Dispatch.

IN THE matter of a woman's good looks, I can assure you all, Dear Post-Dispatch readers that 20 or even 10 minutes' complete relaxation each day will prove almost magical in warding off old age and loss of freshness.

There are thousands of women of whom it is common to say by way of highest commendation:

"So-and-so is such an industrious woman. She is never idle a minute. Such a prize for a man to have in a wife! Why, no one has ever seen her sit a moment in her life unoccupied."

And yet, the woman who has learned to take a rest will live longer, impart a thousand fold more happiness, and accomplish more than her tireless sister.

There is only one way to take this rest. It must be a complete, absolute relaxation of brain and muscle, or it will do no good.

Did you ever try doing nothing for ten minutes? You will have no idea of the value of repose until you have learned to really rest brain and nerves and muscles all at once.

Go away into a silent room by yourself each day.

Close the door and let it be understood that for 10 minutes, if you cannot spare 20, no human being is to disturb you.

Determine when you shut the door of your room for your 10 minutes that you will close the world of care out.

Don't take your worries with you. You cannot rest while you are thinking of a care or a task.

Loosen your clothes, darken the room and lie down.

Take no book with you.

Close your eyes, relax every muscle and lie still.

At first it will be difficult and the 10 minutes will seem interminable.

Your muscles may twitch as a result of the unaccustomed loosening of tension.

Don't yield to the feeling that you are apt to have extreme fidgetyness.

It may take a week of daily struggles, but each day you will grow more and more reposeful, and at last you will find that you will drop almost instantly into a dreamless slumber and will rouse yourself when the allotted time is at an end.

At the end of your 10 or 20 minutes bathe your face, adjust your dress and return to your busy world.

You will feel like a different woman and will find that a real rest of a few brief moments, taken regularly each day, will enable you to do better work mentally and physically than you have ever yet accomplished.

When it comes to the effect of the rest cure upon the looks, why that you will find astonishing also.

The greatest beauties in the world have regular hours for rest each day. Occasionally they take an entire day, as the lovely Julie Recamier used to do.

This woman, whose name is the synonym for enduring beauty, not only took one hour each day for absolute and complete repose, but once in two or three weeks she would remain in bed in a darkened room an entire day.

I don't want always to be preaching, but once in a while the spirit moves me to cry out in protest against a great malady or wrong that is claiming the sacrifice of a woman's strength and beauty.

The demon unrest is accountable for countless nervous wrecks, armies of old-young women and the unhappy homes of too many Americans.

HARRIET HUBBARD AYER.

ETHEL'S CHOICE. THE DAY'S LOVE STORY.

"GRANDMA, dear," said Ethel Arlington, as she found her grandma in her room with her knitting—somehow Ethel always said she could tell her troubles better in grandma's room, and so she had come to her this afternoon—"I am in a great quandary and I want you to help me."

"Very well, my dear; I will do what I can for you; so tell me what troubles you," said Grandma Arlington.

"Last night Harold Raymond asked me to be his wife, and I promised to give him my answer to-night. I know that mamma and papa would be very happy to see me as Harold's wife, and I love him, but"——. And then she was silent for a moment, but her grandma said nothing and Ethel continued. "I also love my painting, and if I marry I must give it up. All day long I have been thinking of this, and 50 times I have said my answer would be yes, then no. I cannot decide, so help me, dear grandma, please."

"I think, my dear, I can help you to decide your future happiness by telling you of the experience of a very dear friend of mine. One day she came to my house and told me that a young man by the name of Walter Snow had told her that he loved her, and she had told him that she loved him very much, but she loved her music, and that she would become his wife if he would let her teach music, but this he would not listen to, saying that he had money enough to support his wife and would not have her work. So she had said good-by to him and he told her he should go away.

"Years went by and she met with great success in her music. She had obtained wealth, position, many friends and admirers, but after the novelty wore away she realized that there was something wanting in her life. She knew now that she loved Walter Snow more than her music, and she wondered if he still loved her.

"One day while walking home from the house of one of her pupils she dropped her glove. A gentleman behind, who was talking with a lady with him, saw her drop it and picked it up. She turned and found herself face to face with Walter Snow.

"'Why, Miss Arnold! What a stranger! I am very glad to see you,' he exclaimed. Then, turning to the lady by his side, he said: 'An old friend of mine, dear;' then to Laura: 'Miss Arnold, this is my wife.'

"And so poor Laura met the man she had loved and found that he had ceased to regard her other than as a friend.

"Which, Ethel, shall it be—a husband or your art? Grandma Arlington asked as she finished her story.

"A husband," Ethel replied; then with a blush: "A woman wants to be first in the eyes of him she loves, you know, grandma, and I cannot bear to think of another as his wife."

"And, my dear," said her grandma, "a man wants to be first in the eyes of her he loves, and if she truly loves him nothing will stand in the way; remember that."

Just then footsteps were heard outside, and Ethel jumped up from the floor, where she had been sitting by her grandma's knee. "He is coming, grandma," she whispered. Presently, in response to a rap on the door, grandma called, "Come in," and a tall, dark-haired young man came in, and, after speaking to Grandma Arlington, turned to Ethel and said quietly: "I have come for my answer, Ethel."

"And her choice?" he asked quickly.

But grandma suddenly discovered that she had left her glasses downstairs and went in search of them. When they were alone Ethel, with very rosy cheeks, held out her hands to him, in whose eyes she hoped ever to be first, and her wish was fulfilled.

A DAILY MAGAZINE

CAUSE FOR REBUKE.

Why wuz yer so bashful, Willie, as ter compel me ter sech a unladylike action?

TO-DAY'S ORDER OF FLOWERS.

In Paris the buttonhole has decreed that during the season of 1899 the following is the proper order in which flowers are to be worn by men:

1. For the early constitutional, Russian violets.
2. For afternoon calls, dark red carnation.
3. At the theater, white carnation.
4. At dinner parties, orchid.
5. At the dance, gardenia.

THE ABLE ELPHANT.

The elephant has 40,000 muscles in his trunk alone, while a man has only 677 in his entire body.

INDIRECT PUBLICATION.

"We agreed to keep our engagement secret."

"Well?"

"Then she wore a lot of my photograph buttons on her shirt waist."

FROM THE DEVIL'S JESTBOOK.

Beside the sewing table, chained and bent,
They stitch for the lady, tyrannous and proud—
For her wedding gown, for them a shroud;
They stitch and stitch, but never mend the rent
Torn in life's golden curtains. Glad Youth went,
And left them alone with Time; and now if bowed
With burdens they should sob and cry aloud—
Wondering, the rich would look from their content.

And so this glimmering life at last recedes
In unknown, endless depths beyond recall;
And what's the worth of all our ancient creeds,
If here at the end of ages this is all—
A white face floating in the whirling ball,
A dead face plashing in the river reeds?

EDWIN MARKHAM.

WHY?

Why isn't paregoric a baby's crying need?
Why isn't the life of a miller one continual grind?
Why are not women's rights and wedding rites synonymous?
Why wouldn't crying women make successful auctioneers?
Why is it that a reformer seldom begins his work at home?
Why is a man of the smallest caliber always the biggest bore?
Why is the average man always wanting to do something he can't?
Why doesn't the man who rides a chainless wheel travel in-cog?
Why does arbitration prove that both the contending parties are wrong?—Chicago News.

A REMEDY FOR BAD LANGUAGE.

An ocean-going captain was so much given to using bad language that his first mate made a bet with him that he could not do without swearing for a week. It went on all right for the first two or three days, until a bit of a squall came on, and the sailors were up aloft doing their different duties. But their captain was displeased with their work. He stood it as long as he could, and then he threw his cap on the deck in a towering rage, jumped on it, and shaking his fist up at the men with an angry scowl, he hissed: "Bless you, my dears—you know what I mean!"—London Tit-Bits.

A QUALIFYING CLAUSE.

"I suppose when you grow up to be a man, Bobbie, you'll want to be an earnest Christian, won't you?"

"Yus, sir—if it won't interfere with my bein' a pirate!"—Ally Sloper.

CENSUS OF STEAM ENGINES.

One hundred and nine thousand locomotives are at present running in various countries.

EXPLAINS IT.

"Don't you know there's a deadly microbe in tobacco?" said the good boy.

"Course," answered the bad boy. "That's what bites your tongue when ye smoke a stump."

Aunt Mary's Advice.

All those who have no nearer friend are welcome to write to me and are welcome to the best advice I can give them. This invitation is extended to all husbands, wives, sweethearts and lovers, whose hearts are troubled and who have questions of great or little moment to ask.

AUNT MARY,
Care of the Post-Dispatch.

A YOUNG LADY OF FORTY-SIX.

I am a young lady, 46 years old, in love with a young man 21. This is my first love affair. Would you advise me to continue the friendship?

SILVER-TONGUED INFANT.

Don't let him get away. It is your first; it may be your last. You must not let slip the golden opportunity.

A YOUTHFUL CROESUS.

I am a young man of 19 years and am desperately in love with a young lady of 26. I am earning $50 a month, but she said she will be satisfied if I can manage to keep a servant. Advise me what to do. ANXIOUS.

Be guided by your mother until you reach years of discretion.

A YOUTHFUL PAIR.

I am a young man of 37 years. I have been keeping company with a young lady (one year and a half my senior) for 12 years. Her parents object to the engagement, as I am not a man of means. Would you advise me to break or keep it?

DISHEARTENED YOUNG MAN.

Wait a few years longer. Her parents can't live forever, and when they are gone you can be happy together.

A SOLDIER LOVE.

I am a young girl, and have been keeping company with a young man for some time whom I loved very much. But he, being a soldier, was called from me to go to Cuba and fight for our country. For eight months we have been corresponding together. Four months ago he came from Cuba to be mustered out in Georgia, and since that time I haven't heard from him any more. Some people tell me he might come and surprise me some day. Now, I have a chance to go with another young man. Would you advise me to go with this young man or wait awhile and see whether the soldier will return? Please advise me what to do. ONE IN DOUBT.

It depends upon your own preferences. You don't seem to have any great affection for the soldier or you wouldn't be thinking of another. You can accept the attentions of the new suitor without committing yourself, can't you?

DOESN'T LIKE TO TALK BUSINESS.

I am keeping company with a young lady for almost two years and we are engaged to be married soon. Now, there is only one fault I find in her, and that is when I ask her questions concerning business between us I have to beg her and have the hardest times to get an answer from her. Could you advise me what to do to have her answer? It makes me angry when I don't receive an answer. FRED S.

Perhaps she is not experienced in such matters and doesn't understand. Be patient and whenever she shows a fault just remember that you are not blameless yourself.

TWO LOVERS.

Please advise me. I am an orphan, and have no one to advise me. For the past three years I have been keeping company with a young man 23 years of age. He is very poor, and has a mother to support. All he talks of is marrying. He is very jealous. About four months ago I met another gentleman. I have been keeping company with him also. He is very religious, also better educated young man than the other. I like him better. How should I let the gentleman know this, as I fear he will take it very serious?

GEORGIE BELISLE.

First be sure that you know your own mind. Then tell the young man plainly that you do not care for him. You must be gentle and womanly and not give him unnecessary pain.

A DEAR LITTLE INNOCENT.

SWEET VIOLET.—No, I won't put your letter in the paper. I'm sorry your mother is younger than yourself. She ought to be old enough to know what is good for you, and muscular enough to spank you soundly. It would do you a world of good.

A NICE YOUNG MAN.

I met a young man through friends not very long ago. I think he is very nice. I have invited him to call on me; he called several times where I am employed and he took me home; he acted very mannerly. As I have not been employed lately and my parents do not allow me to receive company, please advise me what to do, as I think he is a very nice young man. I am employed now. Shall I write to him? CORA.

Ask your mother.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

(This column is open to everybody who has a complaint to make, a grievance to ventilate, information to give or a subject of general interest to discuss, or a public service to acknowledge, and who can put the idea into the fewest words possible. Letters from persons seeking employment cannot be given place in this column.)

The Threatened Boycott of the Paris Exposition.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Now that Dreyfus is free by the action of the French Government, let us hope to see the end of the very silly threat of boycotting the French Exposition of next year.

In the meantime these very foolish persons ought to be ashamed of themselves; they must not forget that it is ridiculous and unfair to make France responsible for the unjust acts of some of her Generals.

As long as we are ourselves murdering the brave and patriotic Filipinos and hanging without process of law some of our own supposed to be criminals, we have no right to criticise. C. L. C.

St. Louis.

A Schoolhouse Wanted.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

This time last year you printed the following appeal for better school accommodation. Please repeat it:

"Not very long ago the citizens of the West End in the neighborhood of Delmar and Taylor avenues read that a new schoolhouse was to be built near the corner of Taylor and Olive street. This was hailed with delight by all the mothers in the neighborhood and quite a distance beyond Taylor avenue in the territory bounded by Morgan and Pine streets. Is it not a shame that small children who live in the neighborhood above mentioned are obliged during the hot weather we have in September and also the cold, early wet weather during the fall and winter to be obliged to tramp half a mile and more to an overcrowded school—away down in Vandeventer avenue (the Marquette), where there are sixty or seventy children to a class, which, besides being unsanitary and unhealthy, is three or four time more than any teacher can properly teach daily. We repeat, 'Is it not a shame?' MOTHER."

St. Louis.

The Right to Do Business.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

The twelve corporations and partnership firms which have filed their petition presented to the Circuit Court praying for an injunction against License Commissioner Hugh Brady among other things to their petition say, "That their right to do business and enjoy the gains of their own industry, under their existing licenses from the State of Missouri and the City of St. Louis, is of great value to each of them."

If those people had resisted the illegal imposition on them of the first license, tax or excise, such men as License Commissioner Hugh Brady would never have come into existence. VICTOR GEBHARDT.

St. Louis, Sept. 21, 1899.

Theater Prices.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I have just read "An Office Girl's" letter in this evening's paper and agree with all her remarks, as I am situated exactly as she is. I also am fond of the theater, but cannot attend the matinees, and think if the managers of the principal theaters would charge regular prices for the Wednesday matinees, and then give a cheap evening performance once a week, they would find it would pay; and all we office girls could then take advantage of the reduced price to enjoy a good performance, as well as the wealthy women, who attend the cheap matinees when they can afford to pay more. ANOTHER OFFICE GIRL.

St. Louis.

'Tis Health that Brings Success.

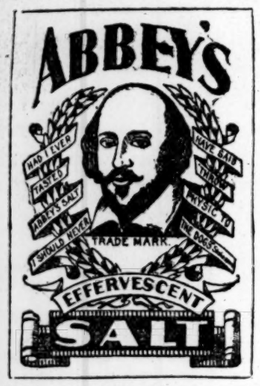
Even little disorders of the system interfere with business. You can't do your best work when you are in ill health.

Abbey's Effervescent Salt

regulates the system and cures these ills. It is vivific—life-giving. It infuses energy into every part of the body, strengthens the nerves, and makes you fit for work. Take it every morning before breakfast and you'll be truly healthful the year 'round. Doctors recommend and prescribe it as a cure for and preventive of Dyspepsia, Biliousness, Constipation, Headache and Kindred Ills. Hospitals use it. Those who have tried it speak enthusiastically of its health-giving properties.

The Canadian Pharmaceutical Journal says:—"A morning draught of this stimulating preparation will send a man to his daily occupation invigorated and ready for any task."

The Abbey Effervescent Salt Co. have only one preparation on the market—Abbey's Effervescent Salt. This is sold by all druggists, in three sizes, 25c., 50c. and $1.00. The bottles are square and are enclosed in white cartons. Each carton and bottle has on it this trade mark, the head of Shakespeare—none others are genuine. Abbey's Effervescent Salt stands alone.



MRS. GUNNING'S HATE.

IT WAS POURED OUT UPON THE MURDERER OF HER HUSBAND.

GEORGE BATES IS IN JAIL.

Widow of the Late Marshal of Kirkwood Identified Him and Then Expressed Her Feelings.

Mrs. Patrick H. Gunning appeared at the St. Louis County Jail at Clayton Friday and stood face to face with the man who had murdered her husband.

She was attired in deepest mourning, which she has worn constantly since her husband was shot and killed on the night of Oct. 8, 1898, by the negro, George Bates.

When the iron doors were thrown apart and the murderer had stepped from his cell, Mrs. Gunning stepped before the negro and eyed him for several moments without speaking a word. Such a look it was possibly never the torture of the man to meet before. There was direst hatred, such as artist's brush never depicted; a look of yearning thirst for revenge, with no semblance of mercy in its outlines.

When Mrs. Gunning had satiated her eyes her silence was broken and she seemed to lose her identity in the expression of feelings that were awakened within her on beholding the slayer of her husband. Not more torturing were her eyes than her tongue. She upbraided the man in language that made all within her hearing shudder with awe. She would heap upon him the most seething anathemas and condemned him as the murderer of her husband and hoped that all the curses of mortality and immortality might be his punishment.

When she left the jail the woman burst into tears and seemed to almost completely collapse. Her sobbing could be heard all over the building and her anguish was distressing to behold.

George Bates, the murderer of Patrick H. Gunning, marshal of Kirkwood, was captured by Deputy Sheriff Autenreith of Clayton Thursday night. He was found at the home of his wife in Mississippi Town, a suburb of Kirkwood. He was at his old home, where he lived at the time the murder was committed, and was in company with his wife. The officer burst open the door and compelled the negro to surrender.

The authorities have been searching for Bates ever since the murder was committed, nearly one year ago. Bates in the meantime has been flying about from town to town in the effort to avoid capture. He was driven back to Kirkwood, it seems, by the manipulations of fate. Since he has been a fugitive from justice he has known nothing but misery and want. He would get a position by which he was enabled to buy enough to eat, but then would again be compelled to fly on rumors that he was suspected. In this manner he has gone from place to place, often experiencing the most abject privations. He longed for his home in Kirkwood, where he used to live happily with his wife and was looked upon admiringly by his negro associates.

He went to Kirkwood last Monday, where he remained until he was captured Thursday night. All the negroes in that vicinity knew of his being at home, but their clannish disposition prevented them from informing on the man and it is said many of them helped to conceal the murderer.

Patrick Gunning had only a short time before been appointed Marshal of Kirkwood when he was shot and killed by George Bates. Kirkwood has ever had a goodly supply of negro residents and sometimes it is said they become offensive. Complaints had been made of a number of negro loiterers who hung about the post-office and insulted white women as they passed. Marshal Gunning attempted to disperse a crowd of this kind after endeavoring to clear the walk for some women who were passing.

Your Last Chance.

$1 excursion to Washington, Ind., and return, via B. & O. S-W., Sunday, Sept. 24. Correspondingly low rates to intermediate stations. Special train leaves Union Station 8:00 a. m. For information call at Broadway and Locust street.

MAIL FOR THE PHILIPPINES.

It Must Be Addressed to the Regiment or the Ship.

Postmaster Baumhoff promulgated the following notice Friday:

"The director of posts at Manila, Philippine Islands, reports that large numbers of letters addressed to soldiers and sailors at that office are undeliverable through the failure of the senders to place on the envelopes the name of the company and regiment, or other organization to which the addressees belong. The Postmaster is directed to inform the patrons of this office of this fact, that all mail matter addressed to persons connected with the United States service in the Philippine Islands must, to insure delivery, not only bear the name of the addressee, but the full designation of the particular branch of the service to which he belongs, viz.: If to a soldier, it must bear the name of his company and regiment; if to a sailor, the name of his vessel, and if in any other branch of the public service, the designation of that branch."

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children teething softens the gum and allays all pain. 25c.

Edward Taylor's Return.

Edward M. Taylor was given a rousing reception on 'change Friday upon his return from his vacation, spent in the north. He was carried on the shoulders of his friends, who cheered and shook his hand until he was well-nigh exhausted.

Order Your Full Dress and Business Attire... ....from....

Mac Carthy-Evans Tailoring Co.

820 Olive Street.

BOND CALL.

CALL FOR DE SOTO, MO., BONDS—Holders of the De Soto, Mo., 6 per cent bonds are hereby notified that the bonds numbered 60, 61, 62, 63 and 64, inclusive, of the denomination of $500 each, and each dated Oct. 1, 1888, have been declared due and payable on the 15th day of October, 1899, by the City Council of the City of De Soto, Mo. Payable at the National Bank of Commerce, in the city of St. Louis, according to the terms thereof, and on which day and date all interest on all said bonds will cease.

By order of the City Council of the City of De Soto, Mo., this, the 6th day of September, 1899.

J. F. MITCHIM,
City Clerk of De Soto, Mo.

SEALED PROPOSALS.

MOBILE & OHIO RAILROAD CO.—Office of General Superintendent Mobile & Ohio Railroad Co., Mobile, Ala. Sealed proposals for the construction of a Union Passenger Depot at Tupelo, Miss., will be received at my office at Mobile, Ala., up to 12 o'clock noon on Monday, Oct. 2. Plans and specifications can be seen at the offices of the Superintendent of the St. Louis Division of this company, at 421 Olive st., St. Louis, Mo.; Agent M. & O. R. R. at Cairo, Ill.; Supt. of Jackson Div. M. & O. R. R., Jackson, Tenn.; Agent M. & O. R. R., Tupelo, Miss.; Supt. J. H. Sullivan of the K. C. M. & B. Ry., Memphis, Tenn., and H. W. Seth, Assistant Engineer M. & O. R. R., Mobile, Ala. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

C. S. CLARKE,
General Superintendent.

Surprise Special Sale No. 102

For one week only, beginning to-morrow and ending next Friday, at the Good Luck, N. W. Cor. Sixth and St. Charles (GOOD LUCK CORNER).

FALL STYLE HATS.

DERBY AND FEDORA.

Every one of them of best fur felt material; silk lined or unlined, with silk band and binding—all the correct shades in black, brown, otter, light and dark pearl and steel, at only

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The products of the Good Luck Clothing Factory include handsomer styles than ever before known.

Complete Stocks of **MEN'S FALL SUITS, $5.00, $6.50, $7.50 to $15**

Every garment manufactured in our factory. No middleman's profit.

You Buy Here Direct From the Manufacturer. That's True Economy.

Young Men's Suits. Latest styles, elegantly trimmed and tailored, **$3.50 to $10.**

Largest Boys' Clothing Department In the West.

Boys' Knee Pant Suits. Positively warranted not to rip; made for the roughest kind of wear, **$1.25 to $5.95**

New Fall Shirts, with 2 separate collars 50c	Good Luck Collars, all the new shapes, 6 for 50c	Bicycle Suits, strongly made $2.50
Brand O Knee Pants, all wool, extra strong 35c	Fall weight Merino Underwear 50c	Exquisite Fall Neckwear, beautiful designs and shapes, 25c

Flyer For Saturday and Monday only. Boys' Laundered STAR Waists in exquisite new Fall styles, with Byron collars or plain band—sizes 6-14, at..... **69c**

OUR EXCLUSIVE DOUBLE GUARANTEE
Is always in force: 1st—Money back on request; 2nd—Your clothing kept in repair free for one year.

Open Every Saturday Until 10 P. M.
See our ad in this paper every Friday.

What Next? **The Good Luck**
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SIXTH AND ST. CHARLES STREETS.
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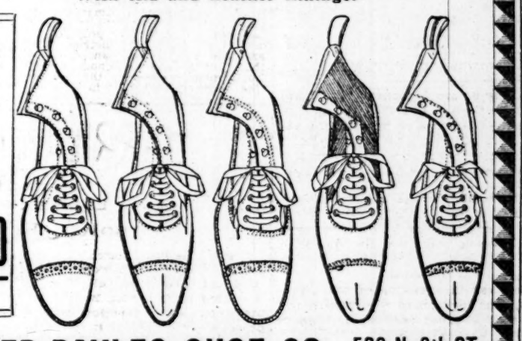

BAKER-BAYLES SHOE CO., 509 N. 6th ST. Opp. Wolff-Wilson's.

AMUSEMENTS.

ATHLETIC PARK AFTERNOON AND EVENING SUNDAY **SEPT. 24**

CAPTAIN BEALL'S **Texas Rough Riders and Ropers**

The most expert Ropers and Riders have been secured for these contests

THE MODERN URSUS, WILL PICKETT

Will perform the wonderful feat of catching without rope and throwing Vicious Steers by means of his teeth. The Fiercest Cattle and the Most Vicious Outlaw Horses obtainable have been secured.

AFTERNOON at 2, EVENING at 8. **ADMISSION, 25c AND 50c**

ST. LOUIS EXPOSITION And Sportsmen's Show in the Coliseum.

... Society Day ...

INNES AND HIS FAMOUS FIFTY will discourse sweet music in Music Hall at 2, 4, 7 and 9 o'clock.

Society will be in bright array.

IN THE COLISEUM, The Sportsmen's Show, commencing at 3 and 8 p. m., Water polo, High Diving by Prof. Townsend and Miss Knabner, Lee W. Schuyler, "The World's Greatest High Diver." Athletic Exercises and Indian Dancing.

IN THE BASEMENT.

The Mannograph, moving pictures every hour. Admission 10 cents.
Hazane's painting of Niagara. Admission 10 cents.
Admission to the Exposition, including the Coliseum, 25 cents. Children under 10 and over 4 years of age, 15 cents.

BELLEVILLE STREET FAIR...

THIS WEEK *Red and Green Electric Cars leave every few minutes from East End of Bridge—No Transfers.*

THURSDAY AND FRIDAY—FLOWER PARADE.

Office of Collector of the Revenue, City Hall.

Attention, Taxpayers.

I am now prepared to receive payment of your taxes for 1899.

All persons paying same during the month of September will receive a rebate at the rate of 8 per cent per annum on their city taxes.

Respectfully, CHAS. F. WENNEKER,
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POOLROOMS MAY OPEN

JUDGE CLARK DISCHARGED MEN ACCUSED OF GAMBLING.

COMMON GAMING NO CRIME.

But Chief Campbell Says if the Poolrooms Open He Will Proceed to Raid Them Again.

The ruling by Judge Willis Clark in discharging the eight men tried in his court on the charge of gambling will, doubtless, cause the doors of the downtown poolrooms to again be open to the public.

Judge Clarke's opinion is that the breeders' law legalizes gambling on horse races, and the charge of common gaming cannot be sustained. He says the only way to prosecute such cases is under the breeders' law.

Judge David Murphy, when he was on the bench of the Court of Criminal Correction, declared the breeders' law unconstitutional, and the cases against the eight defendants were brought under the old law, charging common gaming.

The defendants were Sol Stein, George Uhlrich, Harry E. Gilletti, John F. Carr, James J. Maher, Roy Moon, Joseph Gorman and Lee Snellen. These men's poolrooms were raided by the police and they were arraigned and tried in the First District Police Court and found guilty. They appealed their cases, and, on Thursday, Judge Clark gave his decision.

Chief of Police Campbell announces that he will raid the poolrooms if they open, just the same as he has in the past. He says that while Judge Murphy has passed on the breeders' law Judge Clark has not, and the new judge will be given an opportunity to interpret the law in case the poolroom keepers decide to resume operations.

SERIOUSLY HURT IN SAWMILL

Two Men Found Badly Inured and Wandering Helplessly About the Streets.

Henry Siegment and John Hanley were taken to the South Side Dispensary Friday morning and their serious injuries were dressed by Dr. C. A. Newcomb, after which the men were sent to the City Hospital.

Siegment and Hanley were escorted to the dispensary by an unidentified man, who said he found the injured men on the street. Neither could speak good English, but they managed to state that Siegment became entangled in a circular saw in a sawmill where both men worked. He was badly cut about the shoulders and body. Hanley's hands were lacerated in his endeavors to extricate his companion. Siegment lives at 1537 North Ninth street.

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ALLEGED ERROR IN RECORD.

Frank Callaway's Attorneys Appeal to the Supreme Court.

Attorneys for Frank B. Callaway have until Monday to file an application with the Supreme Court for a complete transcript of the trial. In the forms of various motions Thursday they made complaint to Judge Talty that there was error in the stenographic record. They were overruled and the motion to the highest court was the result.

WANT THE PRIMARY,

MISSOURI DEMOCRATS URGING ITS ADOPTION.

EXPRESSIONS OF OPINION.

It Seems to Have Become Very Popular in Boone County and in the Ninth District.

The anti-trust conference of Governors and Attorney-Generals, just closed, brought to the city a large number of Missouri Democrats, who spent most of their time discussing the proposed primary plan of nominating candidates for State offices.

State Chairman S. B. Cook and Congressman Champ Clark are the leading exponents of the idea, and did all they could while they were here to make friends for it. Gov. Stephens Thursday announced himself as positively against the plan. So far he is the only Democrat who has openly opposed it.

Representative John G. Slate of Maries County is strongly in favor of the adoption of the plan.

"The best argument for it," he said, "is that it brings the selection of candidates close to the people. Under the primary plan the people will nominate the candidates and they will have themselves to blame if they make mistakes. They will not be able to charge that nominations were made by railroad attorneys and designing politicians. I am heartily in favor of the plan. Wherever the primary has been fairly tried it has proven satisfactory. In Boone County the people are so in love with it that they have legislated upon extending it to the school districts. In the Ninth Congressional District it has proved successful, and I understand the people would rather not hear of any other way of nominating their candidates. If it is good in spots, it is good for the whole State. I don't see how any reasonable argument can be advanced against it. Of course, the politicians and the railroad attorneys, who have dictated nominations in the past, to a large extent will oppose it."

Judge John Holmes of Maries County agrees with Mr. Slate.

"The question has not been agitated much in my county," he said, "but I have heard enough expression of opinion to warrant me in saying the people will be in favor of the plan. It is eminently fair. It gives the people the choice of candidates, and does not leave nominations to the dictation and shrewdness of politicians and railroad attorneys. The issue promises to be an important one in the next campaign, and I hope the people will speak out boldly and show the State Committee that they want the plan adopted."

J. W. Zevely, special agent for the Interior Department, who was at one time secretary of the State Committee, until the Perth Springs Convention in 1896, is opposed to the plan. He thinks it will prove expensive.

BELLEVILLE STREET FAIR.

Special trains via Air Line Sept. 20 to 23 inclusive leave Union Station 10 a. m., 1:30 p. m. and 7:30 p. m.

WILL HAVE A DAY ON THE RIVER.

Mayor and House of Delegates to Go on an Excursion.

If Harbor Commissioner Alt will permit the use of the harbor boat, the Mayor and the members of the House of Delegates will go on an excursion up the river Sunday.

This excursion has been talked of for a long time, the idea being that the Mayor and Aldermen would get together on a boat in the middle of the river for a whole day, and patch up a peace which would work to the benefit of both when the Municipal Assembly convenes for the fall session.

Commissioner Alt has heretofore put them off when they requested the use of the harbor boat, by saying that it was in use. Another request has been made, but Mr. Alt has not said what he will do with it. It has been hinted that Mr. Alt's course has been directed by the Mayor, who is thus keeping the Aldermen on tenter-hooks for the purpose of getting the most advantageous terms out of them.

P. & G. Railroad.—The suit of the Kansas City, Pittsburg & Gulf Railroad Co. against 15 railroads remains unsettled. A hearing was began before United States District Judge Thayer Thursday, as related in the Post-Dispatch of that day. The hearing will be resumed Wednesday next. Meanwhile, the temporary injunction recently granted by Judge Thayer, raising the alleged boycott on the Pittsburg & Gulf, will remain in force.

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BOY—Sit. wanted by young colored boy of 19; 5 Lucas av.

BOY—Sit. wanted by a boy of 17 to take care of horse and buggy and work about house. 1425 N. 19th st.

BOY—Sit. wanted by boy of 17; wholesale house or office; good writer and [illegible]ion. Ad. R 11, Post-Dispatch.

BUTCHER—Young man [illegible] situation in meat market; has 2 years' [illegible]ce; can cut meat; speaks German. Ad. [illegible] Post-Dispatch.

CARPENTER—Good, [illegible] carpenter wants jobbing to do, or [illegible] any kind; must have work; very reas[illegible]4, Post-Dispatch.

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DRIVER—Sit. wanted by young man as delivery driver; wholesale or retail store; experienced and good worker; porter or anything. Ad. P 13, Post-Dispatch.

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FRESCO ARTIST—A No. 1 ornamental fresco artist (figure and flower painter) from New York desires employment. Ad. H 6, Post-Dispatch.

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MAN—Sit. wanted by colored man; job work of any kind; furnace and step cleaning. W. H. Brooks, 820 N. Leonard av.

MAN—Wanted, position as traveling man by elderly gentleman; speaks several languages. Ad. O 19, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Office position wanted by man of experience; good refs. Ad. L 12, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. wanted by young man taking care of horses and buggies or porter; well experienced and good refs. Call or write to 3012 Olive st.

MAN—I am an old shoe boss, but now want a steady job in country or repairs; understand retail shoe trade. Address P. H. Carr, Nashville, Ill.

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PORTER—Colored man wants sit. as porter or janitor; 8 years' experience; good references. Ad. L 4, Post-Dispatch.

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HELP WANTED—MALE.

BAKER WANTED—Good 2d-hand baker. 3202 Laclede av.

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BARBER WANTED—Barber apprentice, with some experience, for country; board and small salary to begin. Call 223 S. Jefferson, 10 to 12, Saturday.

BOY WANTED—Colored boy about 16 years for housework; references. 4152 Washington av.

BOY WANTED—To learn the barber trade; one with experience preferred. 2742 Cass av.

BOY WANTED—Boy about 15 years old to help in bakery and drive wagon. 2814 St. Louis av.

BOY WANTED—As apprentice for carpenter work; one that has had experience with tools; about 15 or more years old; wages according to experience. Ad. G 14, Post-Dispatch.

BOY WANTED—Strong boy about 18 for porter work in laundry. Inquire Boyd's, 514 Olive.

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CARPENTERS WANTED—2 good carpenters. Apply at 4822 Easton av., after 6 this evening.

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ROYAL PURPLE REMAINS.

Odd Fellows Retain the Old Encampment Branch.

DETROIT, Mich., Sept. 22.—Many of the visiting Odd Fellows left the city to-day.

The business of the Sovereign Grand Lodge will be completed to-morrow. This body, by a vote taken to-day, refused to abolish the old encampment branch of Royal Purple Degree uniform. Patriarchs Militant had strongly urged doing away with the division named. The Sovereign Legislature to-day adopted a resolution authorizing relief committees to raise funds for relief purposes by giving entertainments and by any other means which the State Grand Masters may approve.

A proposition for establishment of a sanitary fund in aid of Odd Fellow Sanitariums in regions of resort for invalids, was recommended. It had been claimed that the burden of caring for invalid members by the local lodges of such regions is unduly heavy.

A report of the Judiciary Committee was adopted, deciding that visitors to the Sovereign Grand Lodge need not be members of the Rebekah Branch, although the Grand Representatives must be.

CONGREGATIONAL COUNCIL.

Movement Begun to Make International Meetings Permanent.

BOSTON, Mass., Sept. 22.—To-day's session of the International Congregational Council was opened with the customary devotional exercises, Rev. James B. Angell, LL. D., presiding. Secretary Hazen moved the appointment of a committee of five, with a view of making international Congregational councils permanent. The motion was adopted. Hon. S. B. Capen of Boston, chairman of the Committee on Arrangements for this council, proposed that a committee of four be appointed to lay a floral tribute upon the grave of the late Samuel Johnson of Boston. Mr. Johnson, just before his death, had provided for a reception to-day of the delegates and their friends at Hotel Vendome. Rev. Lyman Abbott, D. D., of New York, then addressed the council on "International Relations and Responsibilities." Dr. Abbott's address was discussed by A. J. Sheperd of London, Rev. Dr. P. S. Moxom of Springfield and Dr. Nijgawn, the Japanese delegate, whose remarks were interpreted by Rev. Otis Casey, a missionary of the American Board in Japan. Rev. Alex. MacKennall of Bowdon, England, then delivered an address on "The Christian Attitude Towards War in the Light of Recent Events."

STOCK MARKET IRREGULAR.

Operators Awaiting News of Cabinet Council.

LONDON, Sept. 22.—The stock market opened nervous and showed some irregularity for a time. Consols for both money and the account fell 3-16, and American shares were unchanged to 3-8 lower. After the first hour prices were steadier and the market was quiet awaiting news of the result of the Cabinet council.

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New York Money and Exchange.

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Government bonds steady; 2s, registered, 100¾; 3s, registered, 108½; do coupon, 108¾; new 4s, registered, 130; do coupon, 130; do 4s, registered, 111; do coupon, 113; 5s, registered, 111½; do coupon, 111¾.

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THE MARKETS.

MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE, Sept. 22.

After yesterday's exciting session the opening of to-day's was extremely quiet.

Foreign markets showed a slight rise in prices, but this seemed to have but little effect on the local market.

The foreign wires gave news of a decidedly bearish character, showing the week's shipments to be much larger than those of a week ago and last year.

None of the futures in to-day's trade were of great interest. The gloomy weather and the discouraging wire news had a depressing effect on the bulls, so that they were content to leave the market to the bears, only occasionally bidding, and then just enough to hold their position.

The Weather—Probably showers to-night or Saturday. Light rains occurred in portions of the lake region, Iowa, Nebraska, Oklahoma and New England; elsewhere it has been fair. The temperature has fallen in the Northwest, lake region and New England. Killing frost is reported from Northern Michigan. It is warmer in the remaining districts.

Stocks of Grain in St. Louis Elevators.

	To-day.	Yes'day.	Year Ago
Wheat	2,408,424	2,396,595	564,183
Corn	258,825	230,505	210,805
Oats	39,524	40,520	22,971
Rye	4,229	4,229	10,705
Barley	717	717	729
No. 2 red wheat	1,742,601	1,741,079	44,194
No. 2 hard	58,096	57,978	43,625
No. 2 mixed corn	150,889	149,284	23,171
No. 2 hard	44,516	42,534	42,500
No. 2 mixed oats	14,437	13,922	1,585
No. 2 rye	2,876	2,876	7,604

Western Flour Movement.

	Receipts.	Ship.
St. Louis	5,895	11,427
Chicago	14,145	18,422
Detroit	400	600
Milwaukee	13,625	2,950
Minneapolis		58,277

Export Flour Movement.

PLACE.	Receipts. Barrels.	Receipts. Sacks.	Shipments. Barrels.	Shipments. Sacks.
New York	8,288	14,897	7,052	9,964
Baltimore	10,587		5,751	
Boston	3,300		387	981

Western Movements of Grain.

PLACE.	Wheat. Rec.	Wheat. Ship.	Corn. Rec.	Corn. Ship.
St. Louis	21,722	7,470	77,425	109,450
Chicago	161,600	15,748	892,150	327,498
Toledo	22,000	11,000	27,901	25,000
Detroit	10,256		4,013	6,116
Kansas City	61,700	81,200	20,300	12,600
Milwaukee	38,500	69,300	28,050	116,650
Minneapolis	527,450	117,030	(21,870)	320
Duluth	221,451	244,778		

Sample Market Prices.

	To-day.	Yesterday.	Year Ago.
WHEAT.			
No. 2 red	71 @71½	70 @71	68 @70
No. 3 red	68 @70	68½@69½	65 @68
No. 4 red	62 @68	61 @66	60 @64½
No. 2 hard	66 @68	66½@68	65½@66½
No. 3 hard	66½@67	64½@66	62 @64½
No. 2 spring	64 @65	64 @65	62 @64½
No. 3 spring	60 @62	60 @62	60 @62
CORN.			
No. 2 mixed	31½	32½	30½
No. 2 white	42¾	32½	30½
No. 3 mixed	31 @31¼	32	30½
No. 4 mixed	29 @30	29 @30	28½
OATS.			
No. 2 mixed	23	23	24
No. 2 Northern	23½@24	23½@24	24½@24¾
No. 2 white	24 @25	24½@25	25 @26¾
No. 3 white	23 @24	23½@24½	24½@25
No. 4 white	22 @23	22 @23	22 @22½
No. 3 mixed	22 @22½	22	22
No. 4 mixed	22	21	21½

Future Prices.

	Closing Yesterday	Highest To-day.	Lowest To-day.	Closing To-day.
WHEAT.				
Sept	69½@			
Dec	71¾	72¾	71¾@71¾	73¼
May	75¼@75¾	76¼	76	76⅝
CORN.				
Sept	31½			31⅝b
Dec	27½@27⅝b	28	27⅝	28⅛b
May	28¾	28½	28¼	28⅝b
OATS.				
Sept.	23 b			23 b
Dec	23 b			23 b
May	24¼@24⅜b			24⅜b

Chicago Markets.

	Closing Yesterday.	Highest To-day.	Lowest To-day.	Closing To-day.
WHEAT.				
Sept	72	74	71¾	74
Dec	71⅞	73	71¾@71⅞	72¾@73
CORN.				
Sept.	34	34½	34	34⅜b
Dec	29⅝	30¼	29½@29⅝	30⅛b
OATS.				
Sept	22⅜	22¾	22⅜	22⅝b
Dec	21¾	22⅜	22⅛	22⅜
PORK.				
Oct	$8.02	$8.10	$8.02	$8.07
Dec	8.15	8.22@25	8.17	8.22
LARD.				
Oct	5.30@32	5.32@35	5.30@32	5.30@32b
Dec	5.40	5.42	5.40	5.40 b
RIBS.				
Oct	5.15	5.15@17	5.12	5.12 b
Dec	5.00	5.05	5.00@02	5.00@02

CHICAGO CLOSE.

CHICAGO, Sept. 22.—Wheat—Sept., 74c; Dec., 72⅝@73c; May, 75¾@75¾c. Corn—Sept., 34⅝c b; Dec., 30¼c a; May, 30½c a. Oats—Sept., 22⅝c b; Dec., 22⅜c; May, 30½c a. Pork—Sept., $8.12; Dec., $8.22½. Lard—Sept., $5.13; Oct., $5.10 b; Dec., $5.10. Short ribs—Sept., $5.12; Oct., $5.12 b; Dec., $5.00@02½.

CURB MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Sept. 22.—Dec. wheat, 73c; puts, 72½@72⅝c; calls, 73¾c.

CHICAGO—Dec. wheat, 73c; puts, 72½c; calls, 73¼@73⅜c. May corn—Puts, 30½c; calls, 30½@30⅝c.

WHEAT.

From the opening of to-day's session it would seem as if the bulls were not as strongly fortified in their position as it was supposed, for at the sound of the gong opening the session wheat began to gradually fall until, to the delight of the bears and the consternation of the bulls, it almost reached yesterday's opening figure.

The full strength of the bulls was then displayed and wheat, by slow steps, rose till the high figure made during yesterday's wild excitement was within reaching distance.

Both factions displayed great determination and had almost an equal share of the control of the market during the early part of the session.

If at the opening of the session anyone had been asked to say which way the market was going and approximately what the high figure of the day would be, it probably would have been figured at yesterday's closing figure.

As the session wore on it became more and more exciting, both factions filling the pit fuller than it has been seen for many a day, and as they bid they grew hoarse with their continued shouting and the noise became but a confused murmur of voices.

As was the case yesterday, the early foreign news was not of a character to have much effect on either one faction or the other, but later in the session the wires from the grain centers of this country brought news of so important a nature that the market was forced out of its dormant state into one of great activity.

Yesterday the sudden rise of wheat was due to the failure of Barrett and Farnum, but as there was no other news to warrant such a change in prices, and the St. Louis traders having been very conservative, prices fell again, but to-day the market was slowly but surely hulled by favorable news.

September and May wheat showed but little change since yesterday, the latter future being in slightly better favor with the pit than it has been of late, but September was almost entirely neglected; opening late in the session, as it did, it consequently attracted but little attention.

May opened early in the session, but after its opening at 76c, a rise of 7-16c since yesterday's close, little was done in it. Later 76c was bid, but refused, and after this there were but few other bids during the rest of the session.

December naturally attracted the most attention, its previous control by the bears and bulls making both factions uncertain of their position, and consequently wary in their dealings.

December opened at 71¾@71¾c, being 3-16c lower than yesterday's close. Around this opening figure the market wavered in a most uncertain manner, first rising to 71¾@71¾c, and after reaching 71¾c, falling back again to 71¾@71¾c, and then 71¾c, after reaching this figure for the second time the upward movement in prices began in earnest by fierce bidding and meeting each move by count, the bulls gradually forced the market; 72¼c was the first figure reached, then 72¼@¾c, and finally 72¾c; here the two factions came to a hands-to-hand conflict, the price trembling around this figure, but finally falling to 72¼c, then up again to 72¾@72¾c, and at last the market reached 72¾c, yesterday's high figure, and then went beyond it to 72⅝c, where the market again began to fall, and at length reached 72¼c. The decrease in the receipts at the grain centers of the West, particularly Minneapolis and Duluth, still continue, and this fact is having a strong effect on the market. Yet, if this report from Ohio is true, there should not be such a bullish effect on the market, for there would be much more wheat in the country than it is thought, and under those circumstances the market, instead of being bulled, should be controlled by the bears for some time to come, at least till the farmers have disposed of their grain. This report gives a reason which may account for the grain centers falling off in their daily receipts. The report in full says:

There is still 15 per cent of old wheat of 1898 crop on hand; 20 per cent of 1899 crop has been marketed. Much of it has been stored and more sold than any other season before.

Millers generally in Northern Ohio carry small stocks of wheat, and are only able to get enough to do hand-to-mouth business.

Recent advance on inland freight rates makes it almost impossible to do any business.

The Northwestern Miller St. Louis correspondent says private elevator wheat stocks there are large in comparison to the 2,350,000 bu in public houses.

The Argentine shipments of wheat this week are 1,504,000 bu, against 832,000 last week and none the same week last year.

Partially reflecting the advance in America yesterday, Liverpool opened ¼d higher, and during the morning the undertone got firmer owing to a good spot demand and the continued gravity of the Transvaal situation.

Spot wheat at Liverpool, which has remained unchanged for several days, is ¼d higher.

London opened ¼d higher than yesterday's close.

Paris opened with wheat unchanged.

English flour is 3 shillings cheaper in London than a year ago, while American flour is held higher.

From a Chicago wire received to-day it seems that there is some mystery in the Barrett-Farnum failure that cannot be cleared up: It says:

Wheat people were trying to figure out last night on the curb where the Barrett-Farnum money had gone to.

The big selling of wheat by the firm was on Monday and Tuesday possibly 5,000,000 bu in those two days, and yet the lowest price for December at any time was 70¾c, so that if the firm did its selling at the very bottom the market was not over 1½c against it yesterday morning, when it failed to respond to margins.

Even after the news of the collapse was out the December got only to 73c, which was less than 3 cents above the bottom price for the week, and it was not to be assumed that the firm had done all its selling at the very lowest price.

Receipts of wheat at primary points to-day were 1,095,250 bu, as compared with 1,098,000 bu same date last year. Shipments, 546,526 bu, compared with 778,000 bu same date last year.

Receipts of wheat at St. Louis to-day were 21,722 bu, compared with 65,099 bu same date last year. Of these 2321 sacks and 22 cars were local, compared with 7153 sacks and 56 cars same date last year.

Receipts of wheat at Minneapolis and Duluth today were 948 cars, compared with 955 cars same date last year.

CORN.

This market in all its futures showed a decided improvement since yesterday.

December still remains the center of attraction, but September and May were not compelled to remain entirely in the shade.

September, though not opening till late in the session, still in the early part was rewarded by a bid price of 31¾c, being ¾c below yesterday's closing figure.

December opened at 27⅝c, a rise of 1-16c since yesterday's close. From this figure it rose to 27¾c, and finally reached 28c. After that the market remained quiet for the rest of the session, 28¼@28¾c being bid, but refused.

May opened at 28¼c, yesterday's closing figure. From there the market rose to 28½c, and then 28⅝c was bid and refused.

There was little news of interest from foreign markets, the bad outlook in the Transvaal having some effect on the foreign markets, but little on the markets of this country.

Liverpool opened ¾d higher for corn.

London also opened ¾d higher for corn.

The Argentine corn shipments for this week are 1,952,000 bu, against 1,464,000 bu last week, and 248,000 same week last year.

Receipts of corn at primary points to-day were 1,071,411 bu, compared with 485,000 bu same date last year. Shipments, 598,144 bu, compared with 180,000 bu same date last year.

Receipts of corn at St. Louis to-day were 77,425 bu, compared with 12,915 bu same date last year. Of these 250 sacks and 78 cars were local, compared with 366 sacks and 15 cars same date last year.

OATS.

The large receipts at St. Louis, together with little news from other points, kept the oats market quiet, the figures made by yesterday's trading being but little changed during the entire day's session.

None of the futures in oats during the early part of the session opened, only bid prices being recorded.

September had the same bid price as yesterday's close, 23c offered for it, but at that figure there were no sales.

December had a bid price of 23c, yesterday's closing price, but there were no trades.

May had a bid of 24¼c, and also one of 24⅝c, both of which were refused. After these bids the market was neglected for the remainder of the session.

Receipts of oats at St. Louis to-day were 45,695 bu, compared with 26,457 bu same date last year. Of these 13 sacks and 36 cars were local, compared with 10 sacks and 22 cars same date last year.

HAY.

Receipts, 310 tons; 10 through; shipments, 124 tons.

Quotations for new stock: Timothy—Choice, new, $10@11; No. 1, new, $9@9.50; No. 2, $7@8.50; lower grades, $5@6; clover mixed, $7@8. No. 1 clover, $9@9.50; prairie, choice, $7.50@8. No. 1, $7.

STRAW—Wheat and oats, $3.50@4 asked East St. Louis; $4 this side; rye, $5@5.50.

BRAN—Sacked, 62@63c. East track.

FLOUR.

Patents	$3 40@3 80
Straights	3 10@3 30
Clears	2 75 2 90
Low and medium grades	1 75@2 50
Pearl meal, bolting and grits	2 00
Cornmeal	1 75@1 80
Rye flour	3 00@3 15

SEEDS.

CASTOR BEANS—Steady at $1.05 per bu for prime.

CLOVER—$2.50@6.30.

TIMOTHY—$2.20@2.30.

RED TOP—Prime, fancy, $6.

FLAXSEED—$1.10 for prime.

PROVISIONS.

LARD—Higher; choice, $5.22½; prime, $5.20.

PORK—New style, $8.50; unchanged.

BACON—On order.s: Boxed lots, shoulders, 6½c; extra short, 6c; clear ribs, 6c; clear sides, 6¼c; extras, 5¾c.

SUGAR CURED HAMS—10¼@11½c.

BEEF—Mess, $8 per bbl; dried, 12@14c.

LEAD AND SPELTER.

LEAD—Unchanged; $4.22½@4.30.

SPELTER—Unchanged; $5.40@5.45.

ON THE STREET.

FRUITS.

APPLES—Market quiet, but steady for choice fruit. Early Beleneurs, $1.75 2.50 a bbl. Jonathans, $1.80@2.25; Pipkins, $1.15.

CRAB APPLES—Choice Siberians, scarce, $3@3.50 a bbl.

CALIFORNIA PLUMS—90c@$1.35 a crate.

PEACHES—Michigan, 35@50c a 1-5 bu basket; Michigan bushel crates $1.75@2.25; choice 6-basket crates, $2.00@2.25; California, 90c@$1.00.

GRAPES—Ives, 12c a basket; Concords, 12½@13½c a basket; Delaware, 8-lb baskets, 22@23c.

LEMONS—Scarce; market firm; new Messina, $6.

LIMES—$1@1.50 per 100

ORANGES—Mexican new $6 per box.

BANANAS—Per L. Limon, $2 per bunch.

COCOANUTS—$25 per 1000, or $3 per 100.

GRAPE FRUIT—Florida, $7 per box.

DAMSON PLUMS—$1.25@1.40 a 4-bu basket.

PINEAPPLES—Cuba receipts selling at $2.50@3 per doz., as to size.

CALIFORNIA PEARS—$2.10@2.25 per 40-lb box.

PEARS—New York Sheldon and Duchess, $3.00@$3.50 a bbl.; other varieties $2.75@3 a bbl.

DRIED FRUIT—Scarce and in good demand. Evaporated rings, average receipts, 5@6c; skins, 1@1½c; sun-dried quarters, 2@4c for fair to choice; common, 2½@3c.

Post-Dispatch quotations are for car load lots in first hands unless otherwise quoted. Butchers, grocers and market men buy selected stock and pay higher prices.

VEGETABLES.

BUTTER BEANS—75@$1 a peck.

TOMATOES—Home-grown, 10@20c a bu; shipping stock, 50c a bu; ketchup stock, 10@15c a bu.

NEW SWEET POTATOES—Early Bermudas

HOSPITAL PATIENTS.

MRS. ROSA ERIKSON TRIED TO COMMIT SUICIDE.

MALARIA STILL POPULAR.

Mrs. Ellen Maher Again Resisted the Guards and Was Strapped to Her Cot.

An old woman, gray and feeble, was carried into the observation ward at the City Hospital Friday morning. Despite her apparent infirmity she resisted the guard and had to be strapped to a cot.

"May you be cursed forever," she screamed as the attendant turned the key in the lock.

The woman is Mrs. Ellen Maher, a victim of strong drink. Her record at the hospital and Workhouse is equaled only by that of Kate Hurley. Both she and Kate are over 50 years of age. They have occupied the same cells together at the hospital a dozen times.

Now Kate Hurley has turned over a new leaf by taking the pledge and Dr. Nietert is confident Ellen Maher will do likewise.

Mrs. Rosa Erikson of 112 North Twelfth street wanted to die Thursday night. She took morphine. Now she is at the City Hospital praying that she may live.

It was a trivial quarrel with her husband, James Erikson, that prompted her to attempt suicide.

"Jim," as she calls her husband, was late coming home Thursday night and she upbraided him for remaining away.

"Well, if you don't like it," retorted Erikson, "you may pack your clothes and go."

Mrs. Erikson flushed with anger. "I'll make you sorry for that remark," she cried.

Then Jim said something more. Rosa wept and he called her "a cry baby."

That was more than Jim's bride of seven months could stand and she decided to kill herself. The poison had not taken serious effect when she was discovered.

"I'm foolish, I know," said Mrs. Erikson to the Post-Dispatch. "Do you think I'll get well? I feel all right now, but I wouldn't undergo the tortures of that stomach pump again for the world."

Dr. Nietert pronounced her out of danger Friday.

Malaria is still the popular ailment at the hospital. It appears all the "Dusty Willies" in town are succumbing to it. Four, who said they had no homes, registered at Dr. Nietert's sanitarium Thursday night.

"Where do I live?" said Charlie McGee when asked his address. "Better ask me where I don't hang up. Got no home, sir, and I guess I'll be well enough off right here."

Charlie's attack is serious.

William Connors, the lunchman, who cries "hot wienies" in the downtown district at night, is the latest victim.

The disease is claiming young and old.

Thomas Irvin Barron, aged 10, whose home is at 1526 North Broadway, is the youngest malaria patient at the hospital.

BRILLIANT PASTOR COMING

Rev. Wm. L. Voelkner of Chicago Assigned to Salem M. E. Church and He Will Be Given a Reception.

Rev. William L. Voelkner, formerly of the Second German M. E. Church of Milwaukee, Wis., one of the largest churches of the Chicago German Methodist Conference, has been assigned as pastor to the Salem M. E. Church, corner Fifteenth and Wash streets, by the St. Louis German Conference, which held its annual session at Mt. Pleasant, Io.

The official Church Board has issued an invitation to Rev. Voelkner's inaugural sermon, to be delivered Sunday morning, September 24, at 10:30. There will be a public reception tendered him by the members of the Salem Church Thursday evening, September 28, in the Sunday-school parlors of the church.

An elegant programme has been arranged, in which the respective church organizations will participate, after the rendering of which refreshments will be served.

As Rev. Voelkner is one of the most

REV. WILLIAM L. VOELKNER.

eminent divines of the German M. E. Church, the German Methodists of St. Louis are rejoicing in securing so able a man and predict for him great success in his new pastorate.

MERCHANTS WERE DINED.

An Elaborate Banquet and a Number of Speeches.

The Missouri Mercantile Association gave a banquet and entertainment Thursday night at Lemp's Park, at which about 3000 persons were present. The banquet was held in the hall attached to the park, and covers were laid for 500. The hall was beautifully decorated, and an orchestra rendered a pleasing musical programme.

Among the more prominent of the guests were: Mayor Ziegenhein, George A. Scherer of Peoria, president of the National Retail Grocers' Association; Eugene J. Hall of Chicago, editor of the Grocers' Criterion; John A. Lee of St. Louis, editor of the Interstate Grocer; State Senator Moses Solomon of Chicago; George S. Connelly and Charles F. Moody of Springfield, Ill.; Hugh J. Brady, H. C. Grenner, Internal Revenue Collector; G. K. Kenamore, State Beer Inspector; Senator Mott, Representative Slate, Congressman Richard Bartholdt, Walter F. McEntire; M. Hammel and John O. Holmes, Vienna, Mo.; James E. Hazel, California, Mo.; Thomas D. Cannon, J. E. Hemmich of Springfield, Ill.; C. J. Pohle and John M. Read of St. Joseph, Mo.; Senator Frank H. Farris, E. H. Bass of Steelville, Mo., and S. W. Roth of Chicago.

Most of the speeches were in opposition to the department stores and favorable to the encouragement of the retail dealers. The speakers and their subjects were as follows:

John G. Slate of Vienna, Mo., "Our Law."

Frank H. Farris of Steelville, Mo., "Future Legislation."

C. J. Pohle of St. Joseph, Mo., "Delinquent Accounts."

J. H. Kelley of St. Joseph, Mo., "Grandfather's Days."

E. A. Stevens, "Effect of Department Stores."

Thomas D. Cannon of St. Louis, "Skyscrapers."

Jim Jones of St. Louis, "Child Labor in Department Stores."

Walter F. McEntire, "Evils of Trusts."

Thomas B. Walsh of St. Louis, "Organized Labor."

George W. Wadlow of St. Louis, "Why Are We Americans?"

Charles M. Wilson of St. Louis, "Organization and Association."

Frederick Busche of St. Louis, "Our Form of Government."

Charles Pfeiffer of St. Louis, "Missouri Mercantile Association."

Boys' Clothing.

A grand stock—the greatest we've ever shown and that means much in the light of past triumphs in this line. Note Saturday's remarkable features.

Middy Suits—Like cut—ages 3 to 9 years—the style that is most in favor this season—they come in blue serge and fancy worsteds with small coat collar, silk faced lapels and double-breasted vest in fancy colored Tattersall plaids—charming, manly little fashions—worth regularly $7.00—Famous Price..... $4.75

Middy Suits—Ages 3 to 9—over 60 styles at $2.48—made of all-wool fabrics in natty fall colorings—deep collars, finished in plain or contrasting shades and richly ornamented with silk soutache braid—such suits as you'd expect to pay $4 for—Famous price..... $2.48

Knee Suits in double-breasted styles for boys 7 to 16 years — the proper things are fancy worsteds and cassimeres, of swell black and white effects, in stripes and checks, as well as heavy wale blue serges—we offer you these fabrics, tailored with that high degree of skill that stamp them as way above the ordinary sort—such suits as other stores would ask $10 for—Famous price..... $7.00

Knee Suits—Double-Breasted style—the finest line ever offered at the price—$3.48. They're durable, stylish and fit perfectly. They come in natty check worsteds, striped cassimeres and mixed cheviots—double seats and knees, fine Italian linings, every seam stayed with tape—good, full $5 value. Here for..... $3.48

Young Men's Nobby suits, ages 14 to 19—the kind that merchant tailors ask $25 for—made of through and through all-worsted fabrics in beautiful vertical stripes, checked and mixed effects—single and double-breasted vests—elegantly lined with Beatrice mohair serge—made by journeymen tailors—top notch of style in every way—Famous price..... $15

Young Men's Splendid Suits, ages 14 to 19—a vast range of new and handsome materials—patterns that are in demand for autumn wear—single or double-breasted coats—lined and tailored in a manner becoming high-grade clothing and well worth $12.50—Famous' price..... $8.50

FREE—With all school suits at $2.48 and over we will present a splendid scholar's companion loaded with all needed things.

Stylish Fall Hats.

The money-saving in buying here is even greater than you would imagine. For example:

Our Men's Hats at $1.75

They're the kind exclusive dealers ask $3.00 for—derby and fedora styles in the newest fall colorings, and correct copies of the latest Dunlap, Knox, Youman and other special blocks—every one guaranteed to give satisfaction.

See Our Men's Hats at 98c

Stiff and Fedora Shapes—in black, brown, tan and pearl—silk trimmed and worth $1.50.

See Our Boys' Fedoras at 98c.

New fall shapes and colorings—black, brown, tan, pearl and maple—as good a hat from every standpoint as ever sold at $1.50.

See Our Boys' Caps at 48c

Fancy Scotch plaids, solid colors and mixtures to match the fall suitings—they're finely made—silk trimmed, and are the equal of the best 75c cap in the land.

..Open Saturday Evenings Until 10 O'Clock.

If we please you—tell others. If we don't—tell us.

Famous BROADWAY & MORGAN.

St. Louis' Greatest Clothing Establishment.

Band Concert Saturday Evening From 7 Till 10.

Men's Fall... Suits and Topcoats

The style—the beauty—the thorough merit of this stock reaches its climax this season. Constant improvement wherever improvement is possible has been our aim. *All* the experience—*all* the vast resources of this house have been exerted to that end. *Better* clothing than we are ready to show you *cannot* be found in any store in America—and we confidently assert that the *values* are the greatest that *can be* given for the money—and *greater* than any other house in this city can or will offer. *We ask nothing but comparison.*

Top Coats and Overcoats—Newest, jauntiest fashions of the season. *Top Coats* in covert cloths, whipcords, gray clays and black thibets—box shape or medium length—some finely lined, others with self plaid backs. *Overcoats* in fine black and blue kerseys, single-breasted fly-front style—cut medium length—English clay worsted body linings, satin yoke, shoulders and sleeve linings. All superbly tailored—positively the equal of any that will be shown elsewhere at $15. Famous season-opening price..... $10

Men's Top Coats.

Winter weight — fine tan covert cloths—cut the correct length—French faced back to the shoulders—good Italian body linings—satin taped and handsomely finished throughout. Most stores ask $12.50 for equal quality. Choice of several different shades at Famous for.. $7.50

Men's Swell Suits—With all the distinguishing features of fine custom-made—cut in the proper proportion according to the latest dictates of fashion—single or double breasted sack styles—some with double-breasted waistcoats—the fabrics are fine striped worsteds, neat, small checked cassimeres, heavy blue serges, solid black thibets and stylish black and blue Clay diagonals—tailors would ask you $25 for equal value. Famous gives you choice of a great range at..... $15

Men's Nobby Suits—The greatest line we've ever shown at $10—endless array of new fall fabrics to select from—in all the most popular weaves—nobby stripes, stylish plaids, solid blacks and blues and neat fancy mixtures. The tailoring, the fit, the finish of these suits is all that can be desired and really they are most exceptional values at our price..... $10

Men's Winter Suits in good substantial strictly all-wool cheviots and cassimeres — in single and double-breasted sack styles—all good desirable patterns, in dark and medium shades — cut on correct lines and thoroughly well-tailored — suits that in any other store would cost you at least $10.00—Famous Price..... $7.50

All Dressy Gentlemen

will be interested in the fact that we are Sole Agents in St. Louis for

Rogers, Peet & Co., N. Y.,

makers of the finest Men's Ready-tailored Clothing in America. Fall styles in suits and topcoats on display at $18 to $30—half what good tailors would ask for equal value.

A Grand Sale of

Men's Furnishings.

From the retiring firm of A. Frankenthal & Bro., 819 Washington Avenue. Selling started this morning with a rush—the values are irresistible—clean, new goods at about regular wholesale cost. If you missed it to-day, come to-morrow.

Men's Natty Neckwear—band and shield bows—teck and flowing end scarfs—club house ties—all fall patterns—regular 25c and 35c value—IN THIS SALE..... 15c

Men's High Grade Neckwear—flowing end and teck scarfs—white silk lined—regular price 50c—IN THIS SALE 25c

Men's Domett Flannel Shirts—extra fine—full size—regular price 50c—IN THIS SALE at Famous for..... 39c

Men's Fancy Fleeced Overshirts — solid navy blue and fancy mottled colors—regular price $1.00—IN THIS SALE..... 50c

Men's Imitation Guyot Suspenders and other makes—plain and fancy stripes—regular price 25c—IN THIS SALE..... 10c

Men's Fine Quality Colored Border Linen Handkerchiefs—full size—regular 25c value—IN THIS SALE..... 17c

Ladies' 26-inch Union Taffeta Silk Umbrellas, steel rod—Men's 28-inch Silk Gloria Umbrellas, steel rod—handsome handles—goods worth $1.50 to $1.75—IN THIS SALE..... 89c

Men's All-Wool Jersey Jackets—navy and black—single and double-breasted—worth $33.00 per dozen wholesale—IN THIS SALE—each... $2.25

Men's Camel's Hair Undershirts and Drawers—heavy fleeced—drawers reinforced—regular 50c value—IN THIS SALE—per garment..... 35c

Men's Wool Underwear—Camel's Hair and Natural Wool—twin needle seams—reinforced and taped—worth $1.00—IN THIS SALE—per garment..... 75c

Men's Dark Brown All-Wool Underwear, extra quality of pure soft wool—manufactured to sell at $1.50 per garment—IN THIS SALE... $1.00

Genuine Rockford Mixed Half Hose — heavy fleece lined—nothing stronger or warmer—worth 15c—IN THIS SALE..... 7c

Men's extra heavy brown and tan hose—heel and toe finished like the Shawknit—these goods are extremely durable and worth 25c—IN THIS SALE— per pair..... 12½c

Men's Heavy Derby Ribbed All-Wool Half Hose—extra long tops—white heels and toes—worth 50c—IN THIS SALE..... 25c

Men's Oxford Mufflers—plain black and fancies—you'll soon have use for them—regular $1.00 kind—IN THIS SALE..... 39c

Men's Dress Kid Gloves—light or dark shades of tan—75c value—IN THIS SALE..... 39c

Wonderful Success of Our

Three Days' Shoe Sale.

Here Are a Few Sample Values:

Our Columbia Shoe for Men—in tan, Russia calf and black vici kid—leather lined—also in box calf with drill lining—double soles—extension edges—Goodyear welt—a $4.00 quality—Sale Price..... $3.00

Men's Shoes—made of good satin calf—coin, square and plain toes—lace or congress—soles solid as a rock—best $2.00 shoe in America—here for..... $1.50

Boys' Shoes—in Casco calf—heavy soles—London and coin toes—all solid—new three-lift heel—sizes 10 to 13—worth $1.35—Sale Price..... $1.00

Girls' School Shoes—in box calf and dongola kid—lace and button style—heavy soles—extension edges—sizes 8½ to 11—worth $1.50—Sale Price.. $1.00

BAPTISTS IN SESSION.

FORMIDABLE PLANS FOR CARRYING ON MISSIONS.

ST. LOUIS CHURCHES GROWING.

Prosperous Condition of the Association and Prospects Good for the Future.

The 80th annual convention of the St. Louis Baptists' Association, in progress at the Water Tower Church, will conclude its labors Friday evening. The closing services will be in charge of the Baptist Young People's Union.

The meeting has resulted in new and formidable plans for carrying on the Baptist missions. Another feature is the establishment of a Baptist Sunday-school Association, which will include every Baptist congregation in St. Louis and vicinity. The innovation is in line with a suggestion of Mr. J. W. Stewart, chairman of the committee on Sunday-schools.

Messrs. J. T. Lacey, W. T. Harris and W. C. Teasdale were appointed to further the proposed organization.

Friday morning Miss McMinn, a missionary from South China, addressed the gathering. She gave an interesting account of her experience among the Chinese, and declared the heathen brother was gradually learning the blessing of Christian civilization. The Baptist missions in China are making converts every day. Miss McMinn pleaded for a continuance of the work on a larger scale.

At the afternoon session Thursday Mr. E. C. Davis reported on the condition of the Baptist orphans. The average number of children at the institution is between 50 and 60. The expenditures for last year amounted to $3802.42, while there is a balance of several hundred dollars on hand.

The statistics of the St. Louis Association show some interesting figures. The membership of the 27 churches, comprising the organization, show the total membership has increased 217 during the last year. The aggregate value of the church property is $364,300. For home church expenses, which embraces the salary of pastors, repairs, etc., there have been expended $40,184.65; Sunday Schools, $4565; district missions, $3114.52; State missions, $1220.73; home missions, $968.63; foreign missions, $1468.56; ministerial and denominational education, $3059.39; other objects, $3026.84; Bible and publication work, $269.47; church edifice, $18,467.19; printing minutes, $64.95. Grand total, $74,722.40.

The Women's Missionary and Aid Society now has 518 members, their contributions for the year being $2457.32. The Young People's Societies have 589 boys and girls of the rolls, with an average attendance of 457. Their combined contributions footed up $421.71.

To Get Malaria Out of Your System take Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic. This prescription contains Iron and Quinine in tasteless form—we all know the value of such a combination for Malaria, Chills and Fever. Your druggist has sold Grove's for years, just ask him about it. Sold: No cure, no pay. Price 50c.

WANT NATIONAL CONVENTION.

Republicans Will Endeavor to Bring Theirs to St. Louis.

The Business Men's League will make a determined effort to secure the Republican National Convention next year for St. Louis.

At a meeting held at the Mercantile Club Thursday afternoon Chairman Cyrus P. Walbridge announced that he had received communications from 15 members of the National Committee, who assured him they would not vote on the claims of any other city until those of St. Louis had been presented.

The subject was discussed at great length and the sense of all present was that everything possible should be done to secure the holding of the convention in St. Louis. To that end a special committee, with Mayor Ziegenhein as chairman, was appointed.

Flowers.—It will only be a short time now when we will see the flower stall in the market decorated with the beautiful fall flowers, such as hyacinths, narcissuses, jonquils, lillies of the valley, carnations, chrysanthemums and dahlias. Hyacinth bulbs are obtainable at the present time. Palms, rubber plants, ferns, cacti, and other evergreens are plentiful and sell at nominal prices.

Dairy Products.—The man who sells butter and eggs—isn't kicking; he's making a living. Everything in this line still sticks high at last week's quotations, viz.: Best Elgin creamery butter, 28c a pound, or 2 pounds for 55c; second creamery, 25c a pound; country butter, 17½c and 20c a pound; strictly candled (guaranteed) eggs, 20c a dozen; packed eggs (not guaranteed), 2 dozen for 25c; full cream cheese, 15c a pound; New York cheddar cheese, 17½c a pound; honey, 20c a comb.

Game and poultry—Turkeys are at an eatable size. They are quoted at 15c a pound. Squabs are 20c apiece; young hens, 10c a pound; spring geese, 12c a pound; spring ducks, 10c a pound; spring chickens, 20c to 40c apiece.

Fish—Sunfish, 10c a pound; yellow bass, 10c; black bass, 15c; striped bass, 12½c; jack salmon, 15c; small white, 10c; large white, 12½c; jumbo white, 15c; lake trout, 12½c; silver trout, 12c; pike, 10c; eels, 15c; haddock, 12½c; buffalo, dressed, 10c; headless shrimps, $1.25 a gallon; turtle meat, 10c a pound; headless cod, 12½c; flounders, 12½c; bluefish, 15c; red snapper, 12½c; Spanish mackerel, 15c; fresh mackerel, 40c each; pompano, 20c a pound; Eastern halibut, 20c; Western halibut, 15c; California salmon, 20c; Chinook salmon, 20c; Kennebec salmon, 15c; brook trout, 50c a pound; hard shell crabs, 75c per dozen; broiled lobster, 30c a pound; live lobster, 25c a pound; soft shell crabs, $1.25 a dozen; sea trout, 12½c a pound; crawfish, 1c apiece, or 90c a hundred; fresh shrimps, 40c a quart; buffalo (sided), 10c a pound; smoked haddock, 12c a pound; Little Neck clams, 25c a dozen or $1.50 a hundred; bulk clams, 50c a quart; frogs, $1.50 per dozen.

It will be noticed that frogs have declined somewhat. Last week's quotation was $2 per dozen.

Oysters—Blue Points, 40c a dozen, on half shell; unopened, 25c a dozen, or $1.50 per hundred; Rockaways, 35c per dozen, or $1.50 per hundred; standard, 40c per quart (solid meat); select, 60c a quart (solid meat); New York count, the largest variety of oysters, $1.50 per hundred; inferior oysters, 35c a quart.

Sausages, Etc.—Weiners, 12½c per lb; frankfords, 12½c a lb; mett, 12½c a lb; German frying sausage, 12½c a lb; American cervelet, 15c a lb; imported cervelet, 20c a lb; pig feet, 25c a dozen; sour tongue, 15c a dozen; liver sausage, 10c a lb, or 3 lbs for 25c; rolled sausage, 15c a lb.

Meats—Roast beef, 10c to 12½c a pound; tenderloin steak, 15c; sirloin steak, 10c to 12½c; porterhouse, 12½c to 15c; round, 12½c; roast veal, 12½c to 15c; veal cutlets, 20c; mutton, 10c; mutton chops, 10c to 12½c; lamb, 50c to $1 a quarter; all kind of sausage meat, 7½c; bacon, 10c; calves' heads, 25c apiece; tongue, 10c a pound; soup meat, 5c; ham, 12c a pound; boiled ham, 25c a pound; calves' brains, 10c a set; sweetbreads, 25c to 30c a set; roast pork, 10c to 12½c a pound; pork chops, 10c to 12c a pound; hamburger steak, 2 pounds for 15c; smoked tongue, 15c a pound; dried beef, 17c a pound; chipped beef, 25c a pound.

Vegetables—Leek, 5c a bunch; mint, 2 bunches for 5c; soup bunches, 5c apiece; thyme, 3 bunches for 10c; sage, 3 bunches for 10c; sweet marjoram, 3 bunches for 10c; raddishes, 10c a bunch; water cress, 3 bunches for 10c; grated horse-radish, 10c a bottle; celery roots (first of the season), 15c apiece; lettuce, 3 heads for 5c; new Michigan celery, 3 stalks for 10c; cabbage, 5c a head; endive lettuce, 2 heads for 5c; cucumbers, 2 for 5c; wax beans, 10c a quart; green peppers, 2 for 5c; new lima butter beans, 20c a quart; plain butter beans, 15c a quart, or 2 quarts for 25c; Irish potatoes (fancy), 15c a peck; sprach, 30c a peck; corn, 15c per dozen ears; asparagus, rhubarb, artichokes and green peas are out of the market, pumpkins (first of the season), 15c to 25c each; sweet peppers (for stuffing purposes), 5c apiece; bell peppers, 5c apiece; green peppers, 4 for 5c; red peppers, 15c a quart; new horse-radish, 5 and 10c a stalk; new green onions, 10c a dozen; home pickles (small cucumbers), 15c to 35c a hundred; small white onions for pickling, 35c to 75c a peck; little yellow tomatoes for preserving, 25c a peck basket; crabapples for preserving, 25c a peck basket; herbert squash, 10c to 25c each, home-grown; fancy large Michigan celery, 3 stalks for 25c; sweet potatoes, 15c to 35c a peck.

Tomatoes have gone up from 10c and 15c a peck to 20c and 25c a peck. This is owing to the cool weather. New turnips sell at 5c a bunch. Cape Cod cranberries (the first of the season and very select) are quoted at 15c a quart.

Fruits—Eating apples, 20c to 50c a dozen. Lemons sell from 10c to 25c per dozen; cocoanuts, 5c to 10c apiece; ground cocoanuts, 10c per pint; California peaches, 15c to 25c per dozen; watermelons, 15c to 30c apiece; Delaware grapes, 16c lb.

Bananas, 5c to 15c per dozen; canteloupes, 5c and 10c apiece; watermelons, 5c, 10c and 20c apiece; California plums, 40c to 75c a box, or 15c to 25c a dozen. Mexican oranges (very scarce), 50c a dozen; home grown bellflower apples (fancy), 35c to 50c a basket; Ohio Concord sweet grapes, 20c a basket; paw-paw apples (Missouri bananas), 15c a dozen; cooking apples, 15c to 25c per peck; persimmons (first of the season), 10c a quart box; cycle pears, 40c a dozen.

Damson plums, pineapples and California oranges are out of the market.

CHICAGO PLANS A COUP

CANAL TO BE OPENED BEFORE PERMIT IS GRANTED.

ST. LOUIS WILL BE TOO LATE.

Scheme to Effectually Head Off the Movement by This City to Obtain an Injunction.

St. Louis officials who are planning to contest the opening of the Chicago drainage canal by an application for a writ of injunction in the Federal Court would do well to keep their eyes open. Their plan is not to move in the matter until the Governor of Illinois grants a permit for the opening of the canal.

A Chicago man who is in the city revealed the scheme. He is very close to the officials who have charge of the canal, and for that reason did not desire that his name be made public.

"When Gov. Tanner grants a permit for the opening of the canal," he said, "the canal will have been opened and the sewage and lake water will be flowing down the Mississippi. The Chicago people are aware of the plans of the St. Louis officials. St. Louis will have no ground for an application to the Federal Court for an injunction until the Governor of Illinois formally authorizes the opening of the canal. It will then be too late for St. Louis to do anything, as the canal will be quietly opened before the permit is granted, and with the canal once opened and in operation there will be no stopping it."

MR. AAL MAY NOT BE A COUNT.

Miss Adler, His Grandneice, Wants to Be a Countess.

Have you a claim on the estate of the late Count de Lara of Portugal? If so, you would better come forward in a hurry, for claimants are springing up thick and fast.

The latest is Miss Flora Adler, who sings to a piano accompaniment at Col. Hopkins' playhouse. She says she has a better right to the property than Col. Albert A. Aal, who has heretofore been looked upon as a prospective Duke or Count, or whatever it is.

Miss Adler, strangely enough, is a grandniece of Mr. Aal. She has announced that she is in the running for such fortune or honors as may come with the settlement of the De Lara estate. She says she is in possession of affidavits showing that she is a direct descendant of the Count de Lara estate, while Mr. Aal is only a relative by marriage.

Do You Wear Pants?

If so, go to the Globe, Seventh and Franklin avenue. They are selling fine Baltimore Merchant tailor-made pants at $2.45, regular $3.50 an $4.00 values.

Gen. Brault Dead.

PARIS, Sept. 22.—Gen. Brault, who succeeded Gen. Renouard as chief of the general staff, Nov. 4, 1898, is dead.

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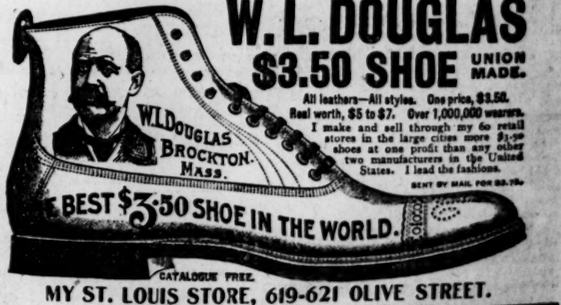

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UNDUE INFLUENCE ALLEGED.

December and May Marriage May Be Annulled.

A. M. Powell of Collinsville, Ill., is trying to have a December and May marriage annulled. He has instituted proceedings at Edwardsville, Ill., to have the union of Joseph Marschalek of Collinsville and Mrs. Jennie Bailey of Edwardsville set aside. He is the guardian of Marschalek, who is 70 years old. He alleges that before the marriage a compact was entered into by which the old man gave his young wife $1000 in cash and further alleges that undue influence was used.